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IN MEMORIAM.

LANCASTER—In loving memory of Charles Archibald, Royal Canadian Dragoons, killed in action 30th March, 1918, at Bois de Florieul; and also Thomas Arthur Victor, M.G.C., Royal Montreal Regiment, killed in action at Arras 3rd September, 1918, beloved sons of Doctor W. Cooke Lancaster, Arranmore, Hill of Down, Co. Meath.

BIRTHS.

BRITTEN—March 29, 1924, at "Windyridge," Parkside, Sask., Canada, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Britten, a daughter.

O'MEARA—March 24, 1924, at Ardfort, Thurles, Mrs. John F. O'Meara, a daughter.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 4.

CONDON—April 1, 1924, at the Mater Nursing Home, Dublin, Jerome J. Condon (late of *Freeman's Journal* Staff), aged 39 years, dearly-loved husband of Mollie Condon, 82 Hollybank rd., Drumcondra, and youngest son of Mr. T. J. Condon, ex-M.P., Clonmel. Deeply and sadly mourned by his sorrowing wife, children, father, relatives, and friends. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to the Church of St. Columba, Iona rd., this (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday), after 10 o'clock Mass, to Glasnevin Cemetery. No flowers, by special request; Masses and prayers instead.

GODKIN—March 30, 1924, at 21 St. George's square, London, Lily, youngest daughter of the late Henry and Margaret Godkin, Kingstown. Funeral (private) at Dean's Grange. No flowers.

HALL—April 1, 1924, at "Brooklawn," Rathfarnham, at an advanced age, Lucy, widow of the late Mathew Hall. Deeply regretted. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

McCLAUGHRY—March 31, 1924, at the Mental Hospital, Maryborough, suddenly, from heart disease, Doctor T. S. McClaughry, R.M.S. Funeral will leave for Parish Church and New Cemetery, Maryborough, to-day (Wednesday) at 3 o'clock.

NETTLETON—April 1, 1924, at his residence, 120 North Circular rd., Alfred Ernest Nettleton. Memorial Service at St. Paul's Church, North King st., to-morrow (Thursday) morning 10 o'clock. Funeral (private) to Mount Jerome Cemetery.

O'BRIEN—March 30, 1924, at his residence, Woodview, Howth, Patrick O'Brien. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family, sister, and brothers. Jesus and Mary, pray for him. R.I.P. Funeral from the Church of the Assumption at 3 o'clock to-day (Wednesday) to family burial ground.

SANSOM—April 1, 1924, at her residence, Laburnum Cottage, Pelletstown, Annie, widow of the late William Sansom, of Santry Court. "Peace, perfect peace, with loved ones far away." Funeral private.

SHERLOCK—Tuesday, April 1, 1924, suddenly, at his residence, 99 Grove Park, Rathmines, George Sherlock, to the inexpressible grief of his wife and family. "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord." Funeral from Grove Park to-morrow (Thursday), 9 o'clock a.m., to Mount Jerome.

TUBMAN—At Dowra, Co. Cavan, R. T. Tubman. Interment to-morrow 2 o'clock, Kilinagh.

UPTON—April 1, 1924, at Kingstown (late Seapoint Manor), Elizabeth, widow of the late W. P. Upton, of Merrion Co. Dublin; Ashgrove, Co. Limerick; Castle Upton, Co. Antrim; and Upton, Co. Cork. "Peace, perfect peace." Interment Dean's Grange 10 o'clock to-morrow (Thursday) morning.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. J. Lee and family, of 40 Nassau st., desire to return thanks to the kind friends who sent flowers and letters or telegrams of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. Thompson and **Archie**, 34 Oaklands Park, Ballsbridge, **Mrs. Killen**, and **Mrs. Tyrrell**, wish to thank most sincerely their numerous friends who sent messages of sympathy in their recent great sorrow, and trust they will all accept this acknowledgment.

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Father, in Thy gracious keeping,
Leave we still our loved one sleeping.

BRYANS—In loving memory of Matilda Bryans, who fell asleep April 2nd, 1923. Ever remembered by husband and family.
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IN THE GOODS OF
JANE MURTAGH, late of 60 Lower Dominick street, Dublin, Widow, Deceased, who died on 5th March, 1924.
The creditors of the above-named are requested forthwith to furnish particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Solicitor for the Executrix.
THEODORE CRONHELM, Solicitor, 22 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF
J. D. RICHARDSON, M.R.C.V.S., Deceased, of 5 and 6 Ellis's quay, Dublin, and Herberton House, Rialto, South Circular road, Dublin.
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NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
CATHERINE BOWEN-MILLER, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Catherine Bowen-Miller, late of Ballinamore House, Kiltimagh, in the County of Mayo, Spinster, by her Will dated the 29th day of January, 1923, bequeathed to

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And the said Testatrix appointed Charles Crossdaile Ormsby, of Ballinamore House, Kiltimagh, in the said County of Mayo, Esquire, and Rev. Thomas Ormsby, of 3 The Crescent, Galway, to be the Executors of her said Will. The said Testatrix died on the 21st day of May, 1923, and her said Will was proved by the said Charles Crossdaile Ormsby, and Probate thereof granted to him forth of the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann, Probate Division, the Principal Registry, on the 5th day of November, 1923.

Dated this 29th day of March, 1924.
FRED SUTTON and CO., Solicitors for said Executor, 52 Dame street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all whom it may concern.

IN THE GOODS OF
EMILY STEWART, late of Clifton Lodge, Lisnaskea, in the County of Fermanagh, Spinster, Deceased.

Notice, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., C. 54, is hereby given that the above-named Emily Stewart, by her Will dated 12th September, 1921, bequeathed the sum of £300 to be paid to the Treasurer for the time being of Mrs. Smyly's Elliott Home, in Dublin, to be applied by the Committee for the time being of the said Home for the endowment and maintenance of the "Bundoran Cot" in the said Home. The said Testatrix died on the 22nd October, 1922, and Probate of the said Will was duly granted at Belfast to William Hope Johnstone and Lucinda Hope Johnstone, both of Chetmar, Malone place, Belfast, and Sir Robert Stewart Johnstone, of Oakleigh, Dorking, County Surrey, the Executors appointed by the said Will, on the 11th day of January, 1924.

Dated this 28th day of March, 1924.
C. and H. JEFFERSON, Solicitors for said Executors, 12 Molesworth street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all others concerned.

No. 00130 of 1924.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
CHANCERY DIVISION—MR. JUSTICE BYE.
In the Matter of
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And in the Matter of the
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MATHEW DENNE, late of 142 Townsend street, Dublin, Purveyor and Grocer, Deceased.
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BLACK Retriever Strayed Islington, Terenure, 28th March; reward. Finder please communicate.

FOUND, small Handbag, Saturday, Bray Head; owner can have same by giving description, paying cost advertisement.—M 329, this office.

LOST, Swan Fountain Pen, gold band, initials F. McW.—M 195, this office. 31 C

LOST in city, Bishop's Cross; reward offered.—M 394, this office.

STRAYED from Lands at Ballymun, 30th or 31st March, twelve Cheviot Wethers. Information thankfully received by P. Kiernan, 143 Drumcondra road.

£1 REWARD—Strayed from 1 Churchill terrace, Ballsbridge, Black Neuter Cat, old, collar "Jackie."

£2 REWARD—Lost, in the vicinity of Dalkey, Diamond Cluster Ring.—M 37, this office. 26 O

SITUATIONS VACANT.

A BANDON Unemployment—Careers for Youths; prospectus post free 6d. Apply Secretary Atlantic College, 45/47 Henry street, Dublin 16 2

A ADVERTISER has opening for young Lady interested in gardening, anxious for experience in all branches. Box No 330, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork. 8 26

A SOUTHERN Firm require the services of a responsible Man of good appearance and address for Drapery overlook other departments and superintend generally. State lowest salary (outdoor), giving references, experience and photograph (if possible) to "Z 1674, Superintendent," this office. 30 D

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SITUATIONS CONTINUED.

A VACANCY occurs in our Ornamental Gate and Railing Shop for a country Youth, about 16, as Apprentice.—Smith and Pearson, Newcomen Works, Dublin. 1 F

COACH Trimmers Wanted, also Body Makers, for provincial town; men accustomed to motor work preferred; state experience. Address "Z 1556, Trimmers," this office. 28 C

CANVASSER and Collector Wanted by Trade Protection Offices; city and provinces. Particulars to M 91, this office. 29 D

COMPOSITOR Wanted for provincial town (Leinster); all round man. Address, with copies references, to "Z 1615, Compositor," this office. 31 D

COSTUMES Saleswoman required; long experience; Metcalfe's, George's street, Dublin. 1 F

DEMOBILISED Soldiers and Beginners—Your living guaranteed. Start your own Drapery Business; little capital required. Write for catalogue and advice.—H. Levaine, Dept. C., 143 Houndsditch, London, E. 1. X

DRAPERY—Wanted for Ladies' Department, young Lady with 2 or 3 years' experience. Apply, stating religion and salary (indoor), J. and R. Good, Sligo. 1 F

EXPERIENCED Shorthand Typist (R.C.) Wanted for provincial town; experience books essential. Reply, enclosing copies testimonials and stating salary expected (outdoor) to "Z 1566, Typist," this office. 29 O

FAMILY Grocery and Vegetable Business—Wanted, a young Lady of experience, who has been accustomed to best class trade. Apply 75 Morehampton road, Dublin.

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INSURANCE—Clerk with few years' accident experience required. Reply in confidence, giving full particulars and salary required, M 257, this office. 31 E

LADY Shorthand Typist required, Rathmines-Ranelagh district; high speed essential; office routine; experience preferred; state full particulars. Address "Z 1594, Typist," this office. 31 E

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McILROY Bros., Hanley, require capable Charge Hand for Millinery Showrooms; must be thoroughly experienced; about 35 years of age; good salary; dinner and tea provided. Apply, giving full particulars, to Mr. Clarke.

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MOODS and Modes of Eve—A new illustrated Feature begins in the Woman's Page of the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day 1 F

MILLINERY and Mantles—Wanted, good Sales Lady; one out of her apprenticeship may suit; state lowest salary (indoor). Address "Z 1677, Millinery," this office.

PERSONALITIES of the Week—See the Picture Page of the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. 1 F

RELIABLE Man Wanted, keep Tennis Courts in order, four days weekly; South side. Apply, giving reference (copies), and wages expected.—M 355, this office.

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WANTED, young Lady, with Motor Garage experience; reference (copies), terms. Address "Z 1527, Lady," this office. 28 C

WANTED at once, a young Man to take Charge of Woollens and Boots, good salesman and stockkeeper, for a good house in the Midlands. Address, with copy reference and lowest salary (indoor), "Z 1513, Salesman," this office. 26 O

WANTED immediately, an experienced Man to take Charge of Readymades and Boot Department; must be competent salesman, stockkeeper and window dresser. Enclose copy references and state salary expected (outdoor), Keenan's, Ltd., Mullingar 28 B

WANTED, a well educated young Girl (Protestant) as Apprentice to Millinery and General Drapery. Address, with copy reference, "Z 1580, Apprentice," this office. 31 E

WANTED, Manager for Cinema in provincial town; must be able to take complete charge of accounts, etc. Apply M 166, this office. 31 E

WANTED, a smart respectable Youth for city office. Replies, in own handwriting, stating age, where educated and salary expected, M 259, this office. 31 O

WANTED, a Lady as Housekeeper for business house, country; no menial work; Protestant. Address, stating age, salary, copies references, "Z 1595, Housekeeper," this office. 31 E

WANTED, Office Boy, 17 years, slight experience, quick and accurate at figures, able to type a recommendation; 15/-, progressive.—M 187, this office. 31 O

WANTED, experienced Housekeeper for a business house in the city; must be well recommended. Apply M 285, this office. 31 E

WANTED, Shorthand Typist, experienced as writing up ledgers, for Land Agent's Office, County Meath. Address, stating wages, religion, age, copies testimonials, "Z 1645, Typist," this office. 31 E

WANTED, Companion Help for a couple of months, quiet seaside place, Wexford. Address "Z 1642, Help," this office. D

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LOANS—The Commercial Union Loan and Discount Co., Ltd., 57 Middle Abbey street, Dublin, grant Loans. Apply to Manager. 26 4

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GOLF Links Hotel, Lahinch—Wanted, Waitresses, Housemaid Waitresses (must have good appearance), also competent Kitchenmaid; all experienced; rates paid; send references, age, salary expected. 30 D

KITCHENMAID Wanted for restaurant; good vegetable cook. Address, with copies of references, M 389, this office. 1 F

THOROUGHLY experienced Waitresses required. Reply, with full particulars, Manageress, Railway Hotel, Mullaranny. 31 E

WAITRESS or House Parlourmaid, with good experience, required for Co. Dublin club. Address, with copies of references, "Z 1600, Waitress," this office. 31 C

WANTED, Lady Assistant for Cake Counter. Apply by letter only, stating age, experience, and salary required, Robt. Roberts and Co., Ireland, Ltd., 44 Grafton st., Dublin. 1 D

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WAITRESS or Manageress, Housekeeper, Hotel; good reference; age 35.—M 194, this office. 31 E

YOUNG Housemaid seeks situation, hotel or private; well recommended.—M 312, this office.

YOUNG Lady, with hotel experience (bar), having a knowledge of bookkeeping, open for position in country or city.—M 400, this office. 1 F

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ADVERTISER has Ford Van, Dublin, and £100 worth Chocolates, Meats, Milk, Sardines, Peas, etc., requires Partner, with £100 cash; profits divided. M 317, this office. 31 E

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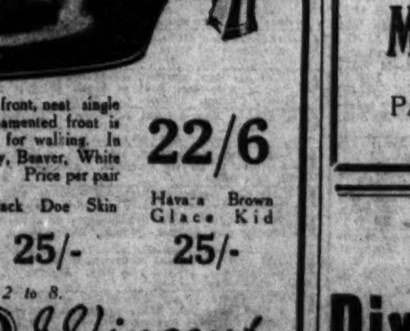
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HUMBER 4 Seater Motor Car, in good running order. Seen at rear 21 Bachelor's Walk. 28 O

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MORRIS Oxford Four Seater, complete with lighting and starting, in absolutely splendid order; owner driven; a bargain.—G. A. Brittain, Ltd., Hatch street, Dublin. 31 E

RENAULT Landaulette, perfect order, for Sale, or Exchange for Touring Car, with cash adjustment.—O'Connell, 33 Fitzwilliam square. 31 E

REPAIRS, Overhauls, Tuning Up by expert Mechanic; Fords a speciality; terms moderate.—M 176, this office.

ROVER Eight, 1923, perfect; speedometer; tax paid; £110 or nearest.—M 379, this office.

STOEWER Landaulette for Sale, C.A.V. lighting, clock, speedometer, detachable wire wheels; just overhauled and painted.—Gardiner and Dilger, Haddington road. 1 F

MOTOR CARS CONTINUED.

TWO Seater Car, in excellent condition, smart appearance, for Sale; reasonable offer accepted.—M 232, this office. 31 O

WOLSELEY Landaulette and Four Seater Darracq for Sale.—Harcourt Motor Company, Clonmel street. 31 E

13.5 H.P. Scribbs-Booth 2-3 Seater, in perfect condition, electric lighting and starting, Bosch magneto and Zenith carburetter, spare wheel and tyre; tyres in good condition; ready to drive away; price £120. Seen any time, J. T. Mathews, Portarlington. 1 F

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"A1" 1924 Models. Come and see our large stock of Sunbeams, New Imperials, Diamonds, P. and M., Humbers and Rovers. Accessories in great variety.—Wayte Bros., Ltd., Lemon street, off Grafton street. T

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COTTON—Touring and O.H.V. Models on view.—Kelly, Bachelor's Walk. 24 19

FOR Sale, 1924 New Imperial Motor Cycle and Side Car, complete with horn and lamp, never used. Address "Z 1450, Motor Cycle," this office. 8 26

HARLEY Davidson Combination, perfect, lamp, horn, Easting wind screen, tax and tax, insurance paid; £70.—M 84, this office. 29 D

HENKIL, Molesworth place—Velocettes, from £40 15/-; James £50; New Hudson, £65; P. and P., £53. 31 E

INDIAN Combination, 7.9, perfect order, for Sale or Exchange for 2¾ h.p. with cash adjustment.—M 399, this office. 1 F

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JAMES 2¾ Two Stroke Two Speed for Sale; excellent condition; £20 or nearest offer.—M 358, this office. 1 D

McKENZIE 2 Stroke, 2 speed, 1923; excellent order.—M 157, this office. 31 E

NORTON—Sports, £85; Touring, £87 10/-; Big 4, £89 10/-; O.H.V., £105.—Kelly, Bachelor's Walk. 24 19

SUNBEAM 3½ T.T. Long Stroke (Nov., 1922); has done 2,900 miles; perfect condition.—M 69, this office. 28 C

VELOCETTE 3 speed, 1923, fully equipped and insured, as new; £70; seen Dublin.—K 1956, this office. 28 C

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1923 VELOCETTE, Ricardo, Triumph, Junior Triumph; full tax.—Henkil Motors, Molesworth place. 31 E

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WANTED, Combination, good condition, 1922; reasonable.—M 279, this office. 31 O

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WANTED, Hood for Four Seater Motor, "one man," 4ft. wide, new or secondhand; state price.—M 44, this office. 28 D

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"A1"—NEW 1924 Models—Sunbeams from 15 guineas, Sparkbrooks from 7 guineas, Centaurs from £7 15/-, B.S.A. from £9 15/-; a few 1923 Soiled Models reduced. Easy payments arranged.—Wayte Bros., Ltd., Lemon street, off Grafton street. T

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SALE, Gent's Bicycle, practically new, all accessories, lamp; moderate.—M 81, this office. 29 D

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WANTED, single Groom Chauffeur, country; good driver, running repairs, willing to make himself generally useful; £1 a week, all found, send copies, stating age, height. Address "Z 1528, Groom," this office. 28 C

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DISENGAGED.

A RESPECTABLE young Man wishes employment as Ford Car Driver, business or private.—M 322, this office.

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CHAUFFEUR Mechanic, experienced, standard gear or Ford; good general handyman.—M 197, this office. 31 E

CHAUFFEURS CONTINUED.

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CHAUFFEUR disengaged; 9 years' experience, 7 in last place; strict T.T.; reference and character excellent; Dublin doctor preferred; wages no object.—M 178, this office.

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LADY Driver disengaged, any make of car; highest testimonials.—M 401, this office.

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MOTOR Mechanic, married, 14 years' experience, desires employment, light cars or lorries; will do all repairs, or will take charge of garage; good discharges.—M 245, this office. 31 E

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MALE Attendant disengaged, invalid or mental; £36, indoor. Address "Z 1635, Attendant," this office. 31 E

PHARMACEUTICAL—Highly educated young Lady, Hons. Inter., Matriculation, desires vacancy as Apprentice (indoor). Address "Z 1632, Lady," this office. 31 E

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WANTED, Teacher, I.C., for Monte National Board small School. Apply for particulars to Rev. R. M. Gilbert, Rectory, Monte, Co. Westmeath.

WANTED, Nursery Governess, R.C., country, near Dublin; two boys, seven and five; must have experience; send copies; £30. Address "Z 1663, Governess," this office. 1 X

WANTED, young Protestant Nursery Governess, three children, country; needlewoman; state salary, copies references. Address "Z 1681, Governess," this office.

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A WELL educated young Lady, Shorthand Typist, Bookkeeper, experienced, requires post; highest references.—M 206, this office. 31 O

CIVIL Service Treaty Pensioner, 40, seeks Part or Whole Time Employment.—M 124, this office. 29 D

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CAPABLE Lady desires post as Cook Housekeeper (staff dining club preferred); outdoor; can be well recommended.—M 249, this office. 31 O

CARETAKERS, Man and Wife; husband other employment.—M 384, this office. 1 D

CAPABLE, Companion Help, Protestant, seeks post, daily or resident. Address "Z 1665, Companion," this office.

DAILY Help, light house work, good dressmaker; highest references.—M 155, this office. 31 A

DRAPERY—Young Girl wishes to Apprentice herself to Drapery in a good city house; indoor or outdoor.—M 405, this office. 1 D

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EX-R.I.C. Man, 28 years, single, seeks position as Steward, Timekeeper, or any position of trust. Address "Z 1514, Man," this office. 28 C

GROCERY, Provisions, Bar and General Business—Young Man, R.C., 9 years' experience, presently engaged, desires change; country village preferred; can produce references second to none; salary £40, indoor. Would go as Branch Manager. Address "Z 1627, Man," this office. 31 O

GROCERY, Provisions, Hardware—Young Lady seeks post; three years' experience.—965, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray. 1 F

GENTLEMAN highly recommends young Man (22), ex English public school, as Companion Secretary to Bachelor; could help run small house or flat, knowledge cooking; musical, artistic. Address "Z 1667, Man," this office. 1 D

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LADY desires post as Companion or teach children early lessons and music, help light duties; no objection to travel; salary, etc. Address "Z 1617, Lady," this office. 31 C

LADY wishes post, Companion Help; has nursing experience and willing to help generally; moderate salary; city or suburbs preferred.—M 346, this office.

LADY, Protestant, domesticated, needlewoman, cheerful, wishes position, Companion to lady.—M 338, this office.

LADY, experienced, seeks post in Turf Accountant's Office.—M 347, this office.

PAINTER, Paperhanger seeks employment, city, country; reasonable.—Tate, rear 49 Mountjoy square. 31 E

RETIRED Civil Servant seeks position of trust; abstainer, educated, energetic, reliable; excellent references; good security; moderate salary.—M 360, this office. 1 F

WANTED, position as Housekeeper, good cook, all other duties, or go Waitress; R.C.; age 32; wages £30 to £35. Address "Z 1549, Housekeeper," this office. 29 D

WANTED, post as Assistant Matron in School or other Institution; trained nurse, good knowledge of stores, needlewoman; disengaged May 1st. Address "Z 1660, Matron," this office. 1 F

WANTED, post; qualifications: nursing, housekeeping, needlework, gardening; Irish Church.—X 44, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

YOUNG Man, very well educated, good writer, quick at figures, seeks employment; moderate salary; free trial offered.—M 118, this office. 29 D

YOUNG Lady Bookkeeper, knowledge office routine, seeks position; seven years' experience; excellent references.—M 230, this office. 31 E

YOUNG Girl, left school, desires position Office Work; good bookkeeper, knowledge shorthand, typewriting. 64, Wilde's Office, Bray. 31 C

YOUNG Man, Christian, desires position of trust, looking after Property, Rent Collecting.—M 221, this office. 31 F

YOUNG Girl, just left school, desires position Typing, Shorthand, Bookkeeping; well recommended. Apply Walton's, Newsagent, Dun Laoghaire.

YOUNG Gentlewoman seeks afternoon employment, 2.30 to 6, as Companion to invalid; would take charge of child, but not undertake teaching or bath chair.—124, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

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GENERAL Man Wanted; must be good milker; wife mind poultry; no family.—M 366, this office. 1 F

WANTED, reliable, trustworthy Man to milk, follow horses, be agreeable at all work on the farm; must be well recommended. Apply J. Dowling, Parknashogue, Killenagh, Gorey. 1 D

WANTED, General Man for indoor work; to live in; good references essential; fare paid; when applying state full particulars.—Abbeyleix, Craigside, Llandudno, North Wales. 1 F

WANTED, Pantry Boy, with experience preferred, under butler; Protestant; send copies. Address "Z 1657, Boy," this office.

WANTED, Footman; must understand his duties; Protestant; send copies. Address "Z 1656, Footman," this office.

WANTED, General Man, married, Protestant, without family; good milker and calf rearer. Address, copies, age, wages expected, "Z 1669, Man," this office. 1 F

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

WANTED, experienced, practical Working Steward for demesne in County Cavan. Address, with copies of testimonials, "Z 1555, Steward," this office. 29 C

WANTED, Working Steward, married. Apply, with references and terms, Estate Office, Gurteen le Poer, Kilsheelan. 1 E

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

AN elderly active Man Servant wishes situation; windows, housework, etc.—M 108, this office. 30 D

A MALE Cook, singlehanded, small cafe or private house.—M 112, this office. 31 E

BUTLER and Valet; wages £50, take job; Protestant.—211, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

COACHMAN (Protestant, single, generally useful; highest references; willing, obliging.—M 50, this office. 28 C

FARMER'S Son seeks a situation, General Farm Hand; single; understands all farm work; good ploughman; well recommended.—M 191, this office. 31 E

GENERAL Man seeks situation, married; many years' experience all farm work; shortly disengaged; highly recommended.—M 271, this office. 31 O

GENERAL Man, married, disengaged; excellent references; wife care fowl or small dairy. Address P. Healy, Clifton, Athboy, Co. Meath.

GENERAL Man Servant disengaged; private house or college, etc.; experienced, can wait at table; testimonials. Address "Z 1649, Man," this office.

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HERD and General Man; good milker; well recommended. Address "Z 1557, Man," this office. 29 D

HERD, single, seeks engagement; good reference; leaving own request.—Mahon, Warrenstown, Drumree. 30 D

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PROTESTANT young Man wishes situation outdoor, garden, care pony trap; experienced in all Household work; highly recommended.—R., Wilde's Office, Bray. 31 E

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A GOOD Plain Gardener and General Man seeks situation; married, I.C.; recommended.—Gardener, Clashleigh Gardens, Clogheen, Co. Tipperary. 1 F

GARDENER Requires situation, Northern Ireland; Protestant, single; excellent references; indoor.—Elliott, Edergold, Ardara, Co. Donegal. 28 C

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GARDENER or Farm Hand; qualified in all branches; wife, no family, I.O.—123, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock. 1 D

GARDENER seeks appointment; fully proficient all branches; please state terms. Address "Z 1679, Gardener," this office. 1 D

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CARETAKER—Wanted, respectable Woman to Care Town House for six months; send copy last discharge.—M 359, this office. 1 F

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COOK General, Wanted, young Girl.—20 Waterloo road. 31 E

WANTED, Cook General. Apply Mrs. Forrest, National Bank, Kells, Co. Meath. 25 3

WANTED, good Plain Cook General, over 30 years, I.O.; easy place; no washing; wages from £30. Address "Z 1517, Cook General," this office. 28 C

WANTED, good Cook General for small family, quiet country place; wages £25; good references essential. Apply, with full particulars, to Mrs. S. Pardon, Huntingdon, Killucan. 28 D

WANTED, good, capable Cook General for gentleman's family (2), country. Interview, 15 Waterloo place. 1 E

WANTED, capable Cook General, Liverpool; good wages; family two. Apply Matron, Registry, Irish Times.

WANTED, Cook Laundress; housemaid kept; smart, clean. Apply 28 Waterloo road before 12 o'clock or after 6 o'clock. 1 D

WANTED, experienced Cook General, R.C.; must be good plain cook; well recommended; £30; send copy references, stating age, particulars.—Mrs. O'Brien, 2 Herbert street.

GENERALS WANTED.

AN experienced General Wanted; good plain cook, well recommended; family small; good wages.—Mrs. Cullen, 3 Dagmar Villas, Vernon avenue, Clontarf. 28 D

A YOUNG General required. Apply 19 Mayfield road, Terenure Park, Terenure, after three. 31 E

A GOOD General Wanted; no washing; good references. Call or write, after 6 o'clock, Lonsdale, Lansdowne terrace, Shelbourne road.

CAPABLE Person required (over 30), to undertake work of modern house, plain cooking and washing, for two. Call, after 8 o'clock Thursday, Friday, or write, Fairfield, Kenilworth Park. 1 D

EXPERIENCED young General Servant Wanted.—Beechfield House, Clontarf, Dublin. 28 O

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GENERAL Servant Wanted, R.C., small family; help given. Call after 5 o'clock, Dunn, 42 Upper Mount street. 31 O

GENERAL Servant Wanted; cook and wash. Apply 255 North Circular road, Dublin. 31 F

GENERAL Wanted; no children; three adults only.—4 Brooklyn terrace, Dolphin's Barn.

GENERAL—Young country Girl Wanted for Blackrock; washing; good outings; homely place; wages £24.—Y 74, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

WANTED, smart young General.—29 Kenilworth Park. 27 C

WANTED, strong, capable General; well recommended. Apply 61 Grosvenor square, Rathmines. 31 O

WANTED, experienced General (country) for Blackrock; small washing, plain cooking; £24.—M 372, this office. 1 F

WANTED, General for Killiney; two children, governess; good wages, outings; girl to train might suit.—M 341, this office. 31 E

WANTED, superior General for easily worked house in Clontarf; four in family; must be capable, pleasant, fond of children, and early riser; wages £32 to £36 for suitable applicant.—M 370, this office. 1 D

WANTED, young General; good cook; early riser essential. Apply 70 Highfield road, Rathgar, after 6. 1 D

WANTED, General, small family; nurse kept; no washing. Apply Mrs. Atkin Gill, Newlands, Bray.

WANTED, experienced General; small family; light washing; well recommended.—44 Mountain View road, Ranelagh.

WANTED, outdoor General, 9.30-5; washing, housework.—R O 185, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 1 D

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PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

BIRMINGHAM, Tuesday.—Arrivals of pigs are still limited under licence restrictions, and values remain steady, with bacons in demand and cutters fair inquiry. Market still closed. Sizeable bacons 15/- cutters 14/- to 15/-, and sows slow at 10/- per score, dead weight.

SALFORD, Tuesday.—Owing to the restricted area from which animals can be sent to market, there was again a small show, only 325 clipped sheep and 13 beasts being on offer. Small sheep made up to 1/2 per lb., heavier sheep 1/- per lb.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Tuesday.—Both supplies and business are particularly narrow, and the attendance of the trade very small. In the circumstances the market is very uninteresting, and prices little tested.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Tuesday.—WHEAT—Cargo market remained quiet, but prices generally steady; No. 1 N. Manitoba April quoted 45/3, No. 2 do. 44/3, Pacific do. 45/9, Australian afloat 47/-, April 46/6, Rosafe (64lbs.) afloat 43/6, April 43/-, Barusso (63½lbs.) afloat 43/-, April 42/-. Parcels in fair demand, and prices a shade firmer respecting forward positions of Canadian; No. 1 N. Manitoba March sold 44/10½, March-April 44/7½, April-May 44/4½, Australian April-May 46/-, choice white Karachi May-June 44/-, Rosafe (63lbs.) April-May 42/6, Barusso do. April 41/9 per 480lbs. MAIZE—Cargoes quietly steady; Plate steamers early April sellers 38/9, April 38/-, April-May 34/9, May-June 33/9, Dan.-Gal.-Fox. March 41/-. Parcels fully steady; Plate April-May sold 34/3, May-June 33/4½, June-July and July-August sellers 33/6, No. 2 white flat African April 38/9, red Karachi do. 38/- per 480lbs. BARLEY—Cargoes inactive; Karachi April-May sellers 30/6, May-June 29/6, Black Sea 15th April 31/6 per 400lbs. Parcels quiet at late rates. OATS slow; Plate f.a.q. afloat sellers 19/9, March-April 19/3. No. 2 Canadian Western March 23/-, No. 2 feed do. 20/6 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—WHEAT—The sharp rise in America was reflected here at the commencement of operations when forward positions of wheat showed a fair improvement, but in the absence of support and River Plate, c.i.f. parcels offered more freely; part of the advance was afterwards lost, though final rates were only slightly under best, afternoon cables having little effect. C.i.f. parcels of No. 1 Manitoba afloat sold 45/1½, April-May 43/9, No. 3 afloat 43/3, Rosario-Santa Fe 64lbs. April-May 42/10½, arrived 42/6, Baril 64lbs. arrived 42/7, April 41/9, Barusso 63½lbs. April 41/3. C.i.f. parcels of MAIZE River Plate April-May sold 34/3 to 34/6, July-August 32/10½ to 33/-, August-September 33/-, March-April 36/9. Wheat on the spot was quiet at late rates to 1d. per cental under Friday last. Maize spot parcels in moderate request, but prices showed a decline of 1d. to 1½d. per cental from Friday's rates. FLOUR moved, but moderately at about late currencies. Graded wheat futures opened ½d. to ¾d. per cental dearer, but later on receded somewhat, and fluctuated slightly, closing ½d. to ¾d. dearer on the day. Maize options nominal.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—BACON—Irish bacon quiet at late rates, but Danish steadier, with more inquiry, and prices raised to 84/- to 88/- per cwt. Canadian Wiltshires steady but quiet and unaltered. American selections of bacon here are somewhat more steadily held, in view of the expected falling off in arrivals here, though monthly stock returns issued to-day show liberal quantities on hand as expected. Buyers are reserved, and little trade reported, though a decline of 1/- per cwt. in Cumberlands at 62/- to 66/- is the only quotable change reported. HAMS quiet, and heavy stocks are recorded, but this was looked for, and 1/- decline in long cut at 76/- to 81/- represents the only alteration in values. Shoulders rule quiet and easier, squares being reduced to 54/- to 58/-, and New Yorks 53/- to 57/- per cwt. LARD on the spot continues quiet, with prime steam now reduced to 65/6 to 66/-, and American refined 65/6 to 67/- per cwt. CHEESE steady, with rather more inquiry at late rates. BUTTER quiet and easier for Danish at 190/- to 194/-, but Colonial steady, and New Zealand the turn dearer at 162/- to 164/- per cwt. EGGS firm at 11/6 to 12/- for Irish hen, and 8/- to 8/6 per 120 Egyptian.

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LIVERPOOL REFINED LARD, Tuesday.—Chicago finished about as expected, and no quotable change took place here during the early session. April sold at 65/6, May 65/9, July quoted 66/6 to 66/9, and September realised 67/9 per cwt. Afternoon cables were better, but no change took place here, final rates being about on a par with last night. May sold at 65/9, July 66/9, September 67/9, and April quoted 65/3 to 65/6 per cwt. Weekly settlement prices—April 65/6, May 65/9, July 66/9, September 67/9 per cwt.

MANCHESTER, Tuesday.—BUTTER—Supplies of butter to-day met a fairly ready clearance, though the demand for Scandinavian and New Zealand was at times rather slow. Danish finest quoted 186/- to 188/-, Finnish and Swedish 178/- to 182/-, and New Zealand 162/- to 164/- per cwt. BACON in better demand and tending firmer, Danish meeting a steady clearance. LARD quiet, with English refined quoted 69/6 per cwt. CHEESE—New Zealand firmer at 90/- to 92/- per cwt. EGGS very slow and lower; Irish quoted 11/3 to 12/-, Danish 12/6 to 14/6, and Egyptians 7/6 to 8/- per 120.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE, Tuesday.—Imported fruits, apples, oranges, Cape pears, South African and other grapes, lemons, etc., in good seasonable supply; but trade wretchedly slow. Stock list prices for all standard and sound commodities without quotable change. Fresh lettuce 2/6 to 3/- per dozen. Very small market of local grown vegetables of ordinary run (few specialities yet), and quality generally of very poor character. Cabbage particularly so, and making extraordinarily high rates nevertheless, viz., Yorks 46/- to 75/-, 80/- and 86/-; Savoys 55/- to 90/-, and extras up to 140/- per load; cauliflowers, selected 4/- to 5/-, others 2/- to 3/6 per dozen; sprouts 2/6 to 3/6 and 4/6 per float; rhubarb 4/- to 7/6 and 9/- per dozen bunches; carrots 2/- to 2/9 ditto; Swede turnips 2/- to 2/6, and selected 3/- per cwt.; parsnips 6/- to 8/- per bag; radishes 4d. to 9d. and 1/- per dozen bunches, white turnips 4d. to 6d., 8d. and 1/- per bundle; celery 4/- to 6/- and 7/6 per bundle (scarce); parsley 8d. to 1/3 per tray, spinach 1/- to 1/7 per float, lettuce 1/6 to 2/6 per dozen, thyme 3d. to 6d. per bunch, mint 3d., leeks 6d. to 1/- per bunch, beet 1/6 to 3/6 per dozen. Great glut of cut flowers, and prices lower.

DUBLIN POTATO, Tuesday.—Supplies of Up-to-Dates and Arran Chiefs are more than sufficient for the trade practicable, but there is a good deal of poor and unsuitable descriptions about, which are difficult to sale. Sound table class of Arran Chiefs, when met with, command full to occasionally a little more money. Red quality potatoes remain scarce and firm. Best white potatoes around 10/-, Arran Victories 11/-, and Skerries 11/6 per cwt.

HALSTON STREET POULTRY MARKET, Tuesday.—Market fairly supplied, and trade equal to a steady sell up. Except for prime fatted ducklings, which are about 6d. dearer, values in main averages show little change from close of last week. Chickens 1/6 to 1/8 per lb.; hen turkeys, 1/2 to 1/4 per lb.; cock ditto, around 1/- per lb. Fat ducklings up to 5/- each; stores, 2/- to 3/6; old ducks, 1/- to 3/-, and 2/-; heavy fat hens, 3/- to 3/6; seconds, 2/8; old fowl 1/6 to 2/6 each; rabbits, fresh, 1/- to 1/2 each.

LITTLE GREEN EGG AND BUTTER REPORT, Tuesday.—The position of the market generally is very quiet and rather weak. Butter supplies are ample, but the increase in Irish creams tends to cost the trade for Colonial butter—in fact, several merchants are giving best quality creams preference to New Zealand at the moment. Prices range about 1/9 per lb. for Danish, but supplies of this produce will not be due until towards the end of this week. New Zealand nominally 1/5½ to 1/5¾, and best Australian brands are getting a decided preference around 1/5¼, whilst secondary qualities are 1/5 to 1/5¼ per lb. Irish creams take a very wide range in both quality and price; the average of what is coming in is valued at 1/3 to 1/5, but specially nice dairies are making 1/5¼ to 1/6. However, these latter are in narrow proportion to the general supply. Farmers' butter and factories merely nominal. Eggs appear to be very plentiful about town in many hands, and selling irregularly, but market prices for best country eggs in case are say, 10/- to 11/- per 120; specially selected large fresh new-laid eggs make about 1/6 to 2/- per 120 over the latter figures; but these, at times, do not work out at 5 per cent. of bulk of arrivals, and therefore must only be considered in a retail way. Country smalls and ordinaries from 8/- to 9/9 per 120. Duck eggs remain on the scarce side, and are not quotable in large quantities just now; the inquiry, however, is fair.

CORK BUTTER, Tuesday.—The market continues quiet, with a tendency to lower prices. Creameries 165/- to 170/- per cwt., choicest salted 160/-, farmers' firsts 145/-.

DUBLIN FISH, Tuesday.—Large market of fish from country and local boats, including nearly 700 boxes of stuff from four steam trawlers, mostly cod, pollock, whiting, etc., but with a fair proportion of nicer sorts of fish, including lemon soles. Principal arrival of black soles were from Dingle direction. Also came in 20 packages salmon, 7 chests lobsters, 20 boxes herrings and 100 mackerel. Trade fair all round. Salmon 2/4 to 2/9, specially selected a few pence more; best lobsters averaged 15/- to 20/- and 25/- per 13, others 5/- to 12/6 per lot; turbot 1/- to 1/5 and 20/-, brill 6d. to 8/- and 6/- each; best soles 22/6 to 35/- per 9 pairs, mediums 10/- to 17/6; slips 2/6 to 7/6 per lot; best plaice 4/- to 6/- per 8, others 4/- to 6/- per 8; half-boxes plaice 35/- to 85/-, white soles 30/- to 90/-, whiting 10/- to 30/- and 35/-, codfish 30/- to 45/-, hake 30/- to 75/-, haddock 12/- to 35/-, pollock 15/- to 25/-, ling 20/- to 25/-, conger eels 15/- to 20/-, ray 18/- to 25/-, gurnard 5/- to 10/- and 12/-, herrings 14/6 to 18/6, mackerel 14/6 to 17/6.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Tuesday.—Supply fair; demand moderate. Salmon 31d. to 37d., soles 18d. to 26d., slips 16d. to 22d. per lb.; dead eels 10/- to 25/-, draught; turbot 15/- to 18/-, brill 13/- to 18/-, plaice 10/- to 12/-, halibut 14/- to 18/-, lemon soles 10/- to 15/-, whitches 7/9, cod 3/6 to 4/6, whiting 3/5, hake 9/6 to 10/6, haddocks 4/- to 5/- per stone.

LONDON POTATO, Tuesday.—Trade remains dull, with liberal supplies offering. Lincoln King Edwards 10/6 to 11/6, Majestic and Arran Chief 9/6 to 10/6, Kerr Pinks 9/- to 9/6, blackland King Edwards 10/-, Evergoods 8/6 to 9/- per cwt.; new Teneriffe 15/- per case.

MANCHESTER DEAD MEAT, Tuesday.—Slow generally. Home-killed beef firm. Best sides 9½d. to 10½d., seconds 8½d. to 9½d. Mutton—Best hoggets 1/2 to 1/3, lambs 1/3 to 1/4½. Chilled beef the turn dearer. Hindquarters 6½d., forequarters 4½d. Mutton—Wethers 6d. to 6½d., ewes 5d. to 6d., lambs 9d. to 10½d. per lb.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Tuesday.—TEA—Ceylon sales embraced 18,000 packages, which cleared to a good demand at full to firmer prices. Pekoe sold 1/4½ to 2/1, broken Pekoe 1/5½ to 1/11½, orange Pekoe 1/8½ to 2/0½, and broken orange Pekoe 1/7 to 2/4 per lb. in bond. RICE—Eastern grain continues in quiet request at about late rates, but Spanish and American firmly held. Rangoon two stars spot quoted 16/3, April-May 14/4½, Rangoon haricot beans—Hand picked spot 10/-. Madagascar butter beans—New crop spot 34/-, and Japanese peas spot 21/3 per cwt. SPICE—Pepper generally steady, with moderate inquiries; fair black Singapore L.S. April-June quoted 5d., Lampong ditto 4¼d., Mnutok May-July 7½d. Zanzibar cloves spot 1/- to 1/1 per lb. according to quality. TAPIOCA moves off quietly at late rates. Sago flour February-April 14/7½, March-May 14/4½. Desiccated coconut—Fine cut spot 42/-, medium 45/-, and halves April-May 39/3 per cwt. SUGAR—Cuban receipts for past week totalled 180,827 tons, compared with 161,988 tons at corresponding period last year; exports 135,359 tons, against 107,965 tons; stock 660,388 tons, against 653,692 tons; centrals working 176, against 168 last year. Weather fine. Mr. Licht estimates that European beet sowing will show an increase of about 21 per cent. The market for refined parcels remained steady, with a fair demand for British makes at recent rates. Imported maintained, with moderate inquiries; white Java spot quoted 58/-, May-June 59/9, c.i.f. London; Czecho granulated spot 59/6 to 59/9, April-May shipment 30/9, f.o.b. Hamburg. White terminal easier; May sold 30/1½ to 29/10½, August 27/9, December 23/4½ to 23/3 per cwt.

COCOA—At public sale 10,955 bags were offered, chiefly comprising Grenada, and met a slow demand at about 1/6 to 2/- per cwt. decline. Grenada good to fine sold at 48/- to 49/6, St. Lucia good 47/- to 48/-, Panama fine extra bold 135/6 per cwt. JUTE steady, quiet; first marks to Continent March-April sellers £27, April-May £27 10/-, May-June £28 per ton. Hessians and twills steady but quiet. HEMP—Manila dull; J grade March-May quoted £38 15/-, K £33 10/-, L £32 10/-, M £28 10/- per ton. SHELLAC quiet; T.N. spot 285/-, May quoted 275/-, August buyers 270/- per cwt. COPRA quiet and easier; F.M.S. Straits to Rotterdam February-April sold £27 15/-, March-May £27 8/9, April-June £27 5/-. Ceylon April-May quoted £29 15/-. Dutch East Indies February-April sold £27 8/9. South Sea Islands April-May £27 5/- sellers. Cebu £27 5/-. PALM KERNELS easier; to Liverpool April-June sold at £18 17/6 per ton. RUBBER firmer, with a fair demand; plantation standard crepe and sheet spot, also April, sold 1/0½ to 1/0¾, May 1/0¾, June 1/0¾, July-September 1/0¾ to 1/1, October-December 1/1½ to 1/1¾ per lb. Wild sorts quiet. OILSEEDS—Linseed quiet and tendency easier; Calcutta March-April quoted £19 10/-, April-May £19, Plate to Hull March-April £17 10/-, April-May £17 7/6. Rapeseed firm; Toria March-April quoted £17 17/6, April-May £17 12/6, real bold Ferozepore April-May £17 7/6. Cottonseed steady, but inactive; Egyptian black to Hull April sellers £13, white ditto £12, Bombay April-May £10 2/6 per ton. TALLOW—Landings during March amounted to 4,420 casks, deliveries 3,791 casks, and stocks 4,648 casks, showing an increase of 629 casks on the month. OILS—Linseed steady; spot 37/9, May-August 36/4½, September-December 35/-. Rape—Crude spot 47/6, refined 50/6. Cotton weak; crude Egyptian spot 41/-, Bombay 39/-, common edible 47/-. Coconut—Ceylon spot pipes 46/9, March-April 44/-. Turpentine easier; American spot 77/9, May-June 77/-, July-December 72/6, per cwt.

LIVERPOOL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE, Tuesday.—A quiet tone ruled for farm produce, with prices almost unchanged from last week. Potatoes—Great Scots 8/6 to 9/6, Kerr's Pink 9/- to 9/9, Irish red soil 9/6 and King Edwards 10/- per cwt. Cabbages 2/6 to 5/6, cauliflowers 4/- to 5/-, celery 2/-, parsley 1/9 to 2/-, and cucumbers 10/- to 12/- per dozen. Swede turnips 2/6 per cwt. Turnips 1/3 per dozen. Carrots 8/- to 9/- per cwt. Flat lettuce 2/6 per dozen. Wheat straw 2/10 per cwt.

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CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Tuesday.—The market very steady, with a more general demand. Refiners' quotations unchanged.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW MARKET, Smithfield, Tuesday.—Both sections of our bi-weekly fodder market to-day gave a tolerably good supply to draw upon. Hay of best qualities, especially County Dublin first and second crop and prime old meadow, was kept steadily at about previous values. Straw opened fairly satisfactory, but closed much as before, with a slow, tedious sale, and difficult sell up. Choice strong hay 7/3 to 7/6 and 7/9; occasional County Dublin loads first crop, 8/-; medium strong hay, 6/- to 7/3; prime old meadow, 5/9 to 6/6 per cwt.; fair, 5/3 to 5/6; other class, 3/6 to 5/- per cwt. Wheaten straw, 4/- to 4/6, a few early sales 4/9; oaten, 3/- to 3/6, 3/9, and 4/-; a few extra nice loads of fresh thrashed feed oaten, 4/3 and 4/6 per cwt. At close of market even bottom rates were hard to maintain.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Tuesday.—American quiet. Brazilian quotations raised 35 points. East Indian in fair request. Egyptian quotations raised 25 points. April 16.89d., May 16.80d., June 16.68d., July 16.31d., August 15.73d., September 15.05d. Sales 8,000 bales. Imports 6,289 bales. Market barely steady.

MANCHESTER TRADE, Tuesday.—The increasing strength of our market does not prevent an encouraging volume of business going through. India inquiry reveals extensive and varied requirements, and fair progress again reported, though delivery becomes troublesome in some makes. Improvement slow in China bids, but a little movement materialises. Yarns dearer all round, and in steady request in both Americans and Egyptians.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

GOOD RISE IN TIN.

The market for TIN displayed firmer features on reserved selling, though business was on a smaller scale. Values on balance show an advance of £3 10/- for cash and £4 10/- three months compared with previous close. Standard cash, also three months, quoted £257 10/- to £257 15/-, settlement price £257 10/-. Sales amounted to 625 tons, comprising cash at £256 10/- to £257, April £255 to £258, three months £253, £257 and £256 10/-. COPPER also firmer on liberal buying orders, cash and forward being 15/- dearer; standard cash quoted at £65 to £65 2/6, three months £65 17/6 to £66, settlement price £65. Sales 1,150, including standard cash at £64 11/3 to £65, three months £65 15/- to £65 10/- and £65 17/6, electros £70 15/- to £71 5/-. LEAD easier, with dealings on a moderate scale; 900 tons changed hands of soft foreign pig April at £34 15/-, £34 5/-, £34 7/6, June £34 10/- to £33 10/-, and finally £33 12/6, July £34 10/- to £33 5/-. SPELTER irregular; April sold £33 2/6, May £33 10/- to £33 12/6 and £33 10/-, June £33 7/6 to £33 10/-, July £33 7/6 per ton. QUICKSILVER firm at £13 5/- to £13 10/- per bottle, spot. TIN PLATES remained unaltered.

LONDON FREIGHTS—Tuesday.

Homeward markets generally presented quiet features, but late rates were maintained in the principal trades. The River Plate section proved fully steady, though inquiries circulating were on a smaller scale. North America quietly steady, with a fair number of orders circulating for heavy grain from Continental and Mediterranean ports; both Northern range and Montreal loading at recent rates, while American coal continues firm, with a broadening inquiry at 3 dollars 5 cents to Continent, 3 dollars 75 cents West Italy, and 4 dollars 25 cents to Rio Janeiro or River Plate. North Pacific grain steady with business likely at 32/6 basis U.K./Continent April-May shipment. Canadian deals, gulf timber, case oil, and miscellaneous cargoes remained unaltered. Eastern markets show more interest and rates generally steady. Mediterranean and Bay ports steady for mineral ore, but business is only on a moderate scale, as tonnage is by no means easily obtainable. There is a moderate movement in Black Sea grain to Continent and chiefly to North Europe at easy rates, but Danube grain continues more or less neglected. Outward coal chartering continues on quiet lines and rates slightly irregular. Several steamers can be placed for foundry coke from Tyne to Nice at 15/- and Galatz 17/6 per ton. Fixtures:—Rhodesia, 6,000 tons, 10 p.c. West Australia, to Mediterranean/U.K./Continent, 15th April-May, 33/9, heavy grain; Emlyrnian, 7,000 tons, 10 p.c. Sydney to Mediterranean/U.K./Continent, April, 26/3, heavy grain; steamer, 5,000-6,000 tons, Villaricos Pier to Rotterdam/Vlaardingen, April, 7/6, ore; steamer, 7,000 tons, Algiers to Rotterdam/Vlaardingen, prompt, 6/9, ore; steamers (two), 6,000 tons, Bizerta or Algiers to Philadelphia, May, 7/-, ore; steamer, 6,000 tons, 10 p.c. New York to Denmark, April, 19¼ cents per 100lbs., option Sweden 20¼ cents, heavy grain; if Northern range loading, ¼ cent extra; Sterneat, Bombay/Karachi to U.K./Continent, May, 26/6, dead weight; Newton Hall, 4,500-5,500 tons, Wales to Karachi, 14-28th April, 16/-, coal; steamer, 5,000 tons, Wales to Buenos Ayres, April, 13/3, coal; steamer, 5,000 tons, Wales to Buenos Ayres, April, 13/3, option Bahia Blanca 13/6, coal.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

At the concluding auctions of the series, four catalogues were offered jointly, totalling 9,419 bales, and comprised 1,288 bales New South Wales and Queensland, 1,249 Victorian, 91 West Australian, 3,864 New Zealand, 2,415 Punta Arenas, 48 Buenos Aires, 47 Peruvian, 339 Cape, and 73 Spanish. Competition proved brisk from a large muster of buyers, and a firm sale resulted. Compared with the close of previous series, scoured merinos, fair to fine, show an advance of 5 per cent. to 10 per cent.; inferior unaltered; greasy descriptions, par to 5 per cent. dearer; cross-breds, fine, 5 per cent.; medium, 10 per cent. to 15 per cent., and coarse, 15 per cent. up. Cape snow-white advanced 5 per cent. to 10 per cent., and greasy unchanged to 5 per cent. dearer. Punta Arenas and Falkland Islands generally 10 per cent. to 15 per cent. over last sales.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES.

At the wool sales held at Sydney yesterday 9,022 bales were offered, of which 7,290 were sold. Private sales consisted of 2,458 bales. The selection was below the average. Best descriptions and spinners' wool were very firm, and occasionally showed a slight advance. Lambs' wool was a shade firmer, while other sorts showed no change. Bradford bidding was strong. Greasy merino realised 40d.

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DUBLIN JURY SERVICE.

PERSONS ENTITLED TO EXEMPTION.

Dr. Lorcan Sherlock, City Sub-Sheriff, at Green street Courthouse, Dublin, yesterday, referred to the fact that the revision of the jurors' lists started on that day, and said that any persons desiring exemption from jury service for the coming year should forthwith apply to the Revising Barrister, Sir George Fottrell.

Any person over 65 years was entitled to appear and have his name struck off the list. Persons incapacitated by serious physical disability, or deaf or blind or incapable of attending the Revision Court, would, on proper testimony being given, be struck off. Barristers, solicitors and doctors were entitled to have their names struck off.

It would be too late to claim exemption once the Revision Sessions were over.

There was a clause in the bill at present before the Dail of very great importance to women jurors. This provides that any woman returned by the Rates Department as liable to serve is entitled to appear before Sir George Fottrell during the next three weeks and make a statement to him that she does not desire to be on the jury book as a juror. Under the new Act the name must be taken off the list.

This clause provides also that if women do not avail of this privilege of appearing at the Sessions to have their names struck off the list, the names will appear on the jury book, and they will not be entitled to evade service during the following twelve months for any reason.

Members of the Seanad and the Dail are entitled to have their names removed, and they should make application to the Revising Barrister to have their names struck off.

CURRAGH STRIKE.

ALLEGED BREACH OF THE PEACE.

Men giving the names of P. Grogan, Patrick Sarsfield, and Daniel Murphy were remanded in custody at Kildare on Monday on a charge of causing a breach of the peace outside Behan's training stables, The Curragh.

A number of stable employés on strike tried to force an entrance to the premises to interview, as they stated, a man who had returned to work. They came into conflict with Civic Guards and the three defendants were arrested.

Grogan, Sarsfield and Murphy were removed from Kildare to Dublin by train after the Police Court hearing. Strikers assembled at Kildare Station and demonstrated noisily.

TO CURE RHEUMATISM WITHOUT DOSING.

CHEMIST SAYS TRY HOT BATHS IN WATER MEDICATED WITH REUDEL BATH SALTRATES TO STOP RHEUMATIC PAINS.

ALSO BREAK UP BAD COLDS, ETC.

I once thought internal drugging with opiates or narcotic and stomach-upsetting medicines was the only way we could expect to stop acute rheumatic pains and uric acid disorders, such as gout, sciatica, lumbago, neuritis, gravel, etc., etc. I never found it to afford more than temporary relief, however, and the enormous demand recently for Reudel Bath Saltrates led me to suspect that my previous theories were quite wrong. Now that the cold and damp "rheumatism weather" is upon us, the remarkable curative effects produced by hot saltrated baths in my own case as well as with numerous of my formerly rheumatic customers may prove of interest to many readers. A half-pound of refined Reudel Bath Saltrates is sufficient for two or three weeks' treatment, and two of these oxygenated and medicated baths a week for this period are all that even the most severe cases usually require for a cure. The formula for this natural curative compound is derived from the official analyses of waters from several famous spas, *whose medicinal properties the compound exactly reproduces.* The hot saltrated water will stop any rheumatic pain in a few minutes. A permanent cure is only a matter of a little perseverance, as visitors to the spas know from experience. At night, just before retiring, is the best time to take these baths for rheumatism, and they will not only ensure a sound, restful night's sleep, but also stop or prevent colds, influenza, chills and other ill-effects of exposure to inclement weather, etc.—C.N.H.

DUBLIN MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION.

THE CATTLE MARKET ALLEGATIONS.

At the commencement of yesterday's proceedings in the inquiry into the administration of the Dublin Corporation, Mr. O'Dwyer, the inspector, said that he would like to make the position clear with reference to the matter of a witness declining to answer a question. The position was that, if the subject matter of the question and answer could be considered evidence, he (Mr. O'Dwyer) would press for an answer: but if it was not evidence, he had no authority to press for an answer.

On the previous day, Mr. Patrick Leonard, a prominent cattle salesmaster, gave evidence with reference to the allocation of pens and the condition of weigh-bridges at the Dublin Cattle Market.

Mr. James O'Brien, secretary to the Cattle Market Committee, stated that the allotment of cattle pens was made each May, and, as far as possible, unless there was a grave depreciation in the number of cattle, no person holding a stand was disturbed. He had no knowledge whatever of any corruption, or bribery, in regard to the letting of the pens, and the first he heard of such charges was in the evidence of Mr. Leonard, on Monday.

In answer to further questions by Mr. Lardner, the witness said that he thought the market should be enlarged, and there should be more accommodation for fat cattle. The markets were regularly inspected by the Department of Agriculture officials, and there were no complaints.

Replying to Mr. Norman Keough (for the Citizens' Association), the witness said that if a new market was established it should be near the docks, where there would be shipping facilities.

THE IVEAGH MARKET.

Mr. Patrick Blake, Superintendent of the Iveagh Market, stated that the market was not paying. All the salaries and expenses in the market were subject to the approval of the Local Government Board. In the witness's opinion the market conferred incalculable benefit on the poor people in the part of the city served by it.

Mr. John Egan, of the Weights and Measures Department, stated that this department existed for the protection of the public, and was never intended to be a commercial concern. It was not over-staffed.

Captain John J. Myers, Chief of the Dublin Fire Brigade, and Mr. Fitzgerald, Superintendent of the Food Market, were examined with respect to the working of their departments.

HOUSING SCHEMES.

Giving evidence in regard to the Corporation's housing schemes, Mr. J. J. Murphy, Chairman of the Housing Committee, said that five-roomed houses, with accommodation for families consisting of from five to fourteen members, were favoured. There were now about 3,000 houses either occupied or reaching completion, and further houses were in contemplation. The yearly rental of 2,279 of the occupied houses was £31,744, and the estimated receipts were £31,495.

Mr. Horace T. O'Rourke, City Architect, said that the Guild system was first tried in 1920, when there was a prolonged building strike. The Housing Committee decided to adopt the Scottish system, with some variations. The Guild was registered as a Friendly Society. The Corporation bought the materials and paid the wages, and had suffered no actual loss so far.

The inquiry will be resumed this morning.

DUBLIN RATES.

PROBABLE REDUCTION OF 6d. IN THE £.

The total rates in the City of Dublin for the year ended March 31, 1924, were 19s. 9d. in the £. The rates for the year ending March 31, 1925, have not yet been fixed, but it is expected that they will be in the course of a week or two.

In an interview with a member of the Finance and General Purposes Committee yesterday an *Irish Times* representative was informed that the rates for the current year would probably be reduced by about 6d. in the £. This is on the assumption that the Government grant of approximately £50,000 is not available this year. If this grant is made it will mean a further reduction of about 11½d. in the £.

It is understood that a deputation from the Finance Committee will wait on the Government in connection with the matter.

BELFAST SCHOOLS.

THE APPOINTMENT OF AN ARCHITECT.

By twenty-one votes again fifteen, yesterday the Belfast Corporation referred back to the Education Committee a recommendation to appoint Mr. Adam Samson, of Dumbarton, as architect to the Education Authority at a salary of £1,000 a year.

Councillors Henderson and Doran expressed the view that there were several architects in the city who were well qualified for the position, and that one of them should have been appointed.

Mrs. McMordie pointed out that the advertisement stated that preference would be given to men with experience of school architecture. None of the Irish applicants had that experience.

Councillor Cheyne said that there were sixty-five applicants, twelve of whom were local men. Their claims received the most careful consideration. The Council was about to erect schools at a cost of £750,000, and the best man should be employed.

BEER AND SPIRITS DUTIES.

REDUCTION DEMANDED BY LICENSED TRADE.

At the weekly meeting of the Committee of the Licensed Grocers' and Vintners' Association in Dublin, Mr. Patrick Conway presiding, said that many country members of the Association had written to ask whether any action had been taken towards securing a reduction in the inordinate duties on beer and spirits. As the Committee knew, when they interviewed the Government some months ago in connection with the question of prices, they were told that the suggestion of a reduction in taxes could not be entertained in the then condition of the country's finance.

The present taxes of £5 a barrel on beer and 72s. 6d. a gallon on spirits were imposed when the great European War was at its height. Now, he thought, the time had arrived for the Free State Parliament substantially to reduce the duties on beer and spirits. In Great Britain and Northern Ireland a helpful reduction was in operation for the past year, and the returns indicated that the revenue had suffered nothing, when allowance was made for the natural shrinkage consequent on the shortage of money and lack of employment.

BRAY RELIEF SCHEME.

EX-SOLDIERS SECURE HIGHER WEEKLY WAGE.

Following representations made to him by a deputation from ex-members of the National Army resident in Bray, the Minister for Local Government has given instructions to Bray Urban Council to increase the weekly wage limit, under the relief grant of £2,400, from £2 to £2 7s. 6d.

The Council will proceed to administer the grant in accordance with the Minister's instructions.

BELFAST HARBOUR BOARD.

Mr. W. E. Williames, D.L., yesterday was elected Chairman of the Belfast Harbour Commissioners, for the third year in succession.

In returning thanks, Mr. Williames said that a number of important problems faced the Board. One of those was the provision of accommodation for the timber trade. He was confident that he could rely upon the help and loyalty of every Commissioner in dealing with these problems.

The King has appointed Mr. Frederick Jeune Willans to be Surgeon Apothecary to His Majesty's household at Sandringham, in room of Sir Alan Reeve Manby, resigned.

YESTERDAY'S CASES IN THE COURTS.

FREE STATE TRIBUNALS.

JURISDICTION QUESTIONED.

In the Court of Appeal, before the Master of the Rolls, Lord Justice Ronan and Mr. Justice Pim, the hearing of the appeal in the case of the King (Armstrong) v. the County Court Judge of Wicklow was resumed, and, the arguments having concluded, the Court reserved judgment.

The appeal raised the question of the jurisdiction of the Irish Free State Courts, and concerned an application under the Workmen's Compensation Act, and was against an order of the King's Bench Division—the Lord Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Dodd and Mr. Justice Samuels—whereby it was ordered that the prosecution's application for a writ of prohibition be refused, with costs.

Mr. James Ashley Armstrong, the prosecutor in the proceedings, is secretary of Messrs. Elders and Fyffes, Ltd., of London, shipowners, against whom Michael Bolger, an employé, brought a claim under the Workmen's Compensation Act before the County Court Judge for the County Wicklow.

Bolger joined the ss. Manistee at Liverpool on the 1st May, 1922, and there signed on the ship's articles as a quartermaster. The Manistee is a foreign-going British ship, and immediately after having signed on the ship sailed on her voyage to Jamaica, where his hand was crushed while the ship was being moored.

At the time of the institution of the proceedings in September last Bolger was resident in Arklow, and the prosecutor contended that the proceedings had been wrongly instituted in the Court of the County Wicklow, inasmuch as the subject matter thereto was without the jurisdiction of the Irish Free State. It was argued on behalf of Bolger that he was clearly entitled to the relief which he sought before the coming into existence of the Free State, and that the creation of the Free State had not affected such right.

Mr. Serjeant Hanna, K.C.; Mr. Jellett, K.C., and Mr. Sainsbury (instructed by Messrs. Norris Goddard and Davidson) appeared for the appellant (Armstrong). The Attorney-General (Mr. Kennedy, K.C.), Mr. FitzGibbon, K.C.; Mr. Sullivan, K.C., and Mr. Costelloe (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) appeared for the respondent (the County Court Judge). Mr. Wood, K.C., and Mr. Cherry (instructed by Messrs. M. J. O'Connor and Co.) appeared for Michael Bolger.

Mr. FitzGibbon, continuing his argument on behalf of the respondent, said that their lordships had been told by Serjeant Hanna that a Dominion had always been dealt with as a foreign country. The Irish Free State, Canada and the Colonies are not foreign countries in the sense that France and Spain are foreign countries. The suggestion that Clause 75 of the Constitution was *ultra vires* of the Imperial Parliament was the most futile nonsense he (counsel) had ever listened to. The Workmen's Compensation Act had never been repealed.

Lord Justice Ronan said that the Treaty had been an executory document, and which had no operation except to bring about the Constitution. The suggestion made by counsel for the prosecutor was that the Treaty took away all power of legislation in England and prevented the English laws applying in Ireland; but Article 73 says that the laws in force at the date of the Treaty coming into operation of the Constitution shall continue unless repealed, etc. What laws were referred to?

Mr. FitzGibbon said that upon the argument addressed to the Court by Serjeant Hanna and Mr. Jellett there was none from the 31st March, 1922.

Mr. FitzGibbon, having cited a number of authorities in support of his contention, said that he was there to assert all lawful jurisdiction, and to assert the jurisdiction of County Court Judge Dromgoole to deal with this matter of the claim of Michael Bolger.

The arguments having concluded, the Court reserved judgment.

A LADY'S WILL.

CAVEAT ENTERED BY HUSBAND.

Before the Lord Chief Justice and a city special jury, the probate action of Rolleston v. Sinclair came on for hearing. The plaintiffs, James Rolleston, Frankfort Castle, Roscrea, County Tipperary, and Alured Rolleston, of Abbeyleix, Queen's County, claimed to be the executors of the last will, dated the 18th February, 1922, of Georgina Alice Sinclair, late of 119 Lower Baggot street, Dublin, married woman, who died on the 16th September, 1923, and to have the will executed. The defendant, Hermon Sinclair, of the Standard Hotel, Harcourt street, Dublin, had entered a *caveat* to the will on the usual grounds, and alleged that the will was obtained by the undue influence of James Rolleston.

Mr. Serjeant Hanna, K.C., who, with Mr. Lynch, K.C., Mr. Denning, K.C., and Mr. Roche (acting for Mr. Phelps) (instructed by Mr. J. R. Cresswell), appeared for the plaintiffs, said that the defendant, who usually resided in England, had been the husband of Mrs. Sinclair, the deceased, and had for many years been living apart from her. The plaintiffs were cousins of Mrs. Sinclair, who at the time of her death was residing at Kilmoylan, Palmerstown, County Dublin. She was about fifty years of age, a lady of great competence and ability. Mrs. Sinclair's maiden name was Miss Fetherston Whitney, and she was twice married. The first marriage was dissolved on the ground of the cruelty and adultery of her husband, Walter Raleigh Trevelyan. Her second husband, the defendant, was Hermon Croker. He changed his name to its present form. Where he came from or what his nationality was they did not know, but certainly his associations with Mrs. Sinclair were extremely unfortunate for her, and in 1910 or 1911 she left him and went to live with a family called Gould in Exeter. Having stayed there for some time, she came back to Ireland, and the first place she went to was to the Rollestons, one of whom had substantially benefited under the will. When she was living in Baggot street, Dublin, she made her will, every page being written in her own hand, on a printed will form, on which there were instructions how to execute a will. Apparently none of her relations and no one who had any claim upon her had been left out of that will, but her husband's name was not mentioned from beginning to end.

Mr. James Rolleston did not know that the will had been made until within a few days of the death of Mrs. Sinclair. On her death Mrs. Sinclair was possessed of £16,400, of which £13,000 or £14,000 came from her relatives, the Whitneys. At the time she married the defendant she had about £6,000 worth of property, but that was afterwards spent paying the defendant's debts and in other ways in paying his accounts. The defendant never moved or took any steps to obstruct the will, and it was only when the usual proceedings were taken in connection with it that he lodged a *caveat* against it.

Mrs. Alice Caulfield, wife of Brigadier-General Caulfield, residing in Surrey, having been examined.

Mr. James Rolleston, one of the executors, stated that Mrs. Sinclair, who was a first cousin, used to stay at Frankfort Castle, Roscrea, when she was in Ireland. He came to Dublin on the 7th September, 1923, and was met at Kingsbridge by Mrs. Stephenson, who informed him that Mrs. Sinclair was ill. That was the first that he heard of her illness. He went out to see her at Kilmoylan and sent for her doctor on the spot. Mrs. Stephenson told him that Mrs. Sinclair was very anxious to find her will. He did not know anything about the contents of the will, and did not know that a will existed. Except on upon that occasion, a couple of days before her death, she never mentioned her affairs to him, and he never made any suggestion to her as to what she should put in the will. He never even suggested that she should make a will. Up to her last illness she was quite capable of looking after her own affairs, and did look after them.

Cross-examined by Mr. Fetherstonhaugh, K.C., who, with Mr. Marnan (instructed by Messrs. Black and Fetherstonhaugh) appeared for the defendant, witness said that the reason he did not communicate with the defendant was because he did not know where he lived.

The hearing had not concluded when the Court rose, and the resumed hearing was fixed for to-morrow (Thursday) morning, at 11 o'clock.

C.I.D. MAN CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Yesterday afternoon at the Cork District Sessions Richard O'Leary, a member of the C.I.D., was returned for trial, charged with the wilful murder of Richard Aylward, a military policeman, by shooting him with a revolver in Princes street on the night of March 9th.

CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY'S AFFAIRS.

WINDING-UP ORDER.

Before the Master of the Rolls, in the matter of the Companies Acts and Drumlish Co-Operative Agricultural Society, Limited, Mr. George R. O'Connor (instructed by Messrs. Hannan and O'Brien) applied, on the petition of John O'Sullivan, Drumlish, County Longford, manager, for an order for the winding up of the company.

There was no opposition, and the Master of the Rolls made an order for the winding up of the company.

DUBLIN CLERK'S APPEAL.

DAMAGES FOR DISMISSAL.

Mr. Justice Dodd heard an appeal from the Recorder in the case of John J. Hand, 13 Russell avenue, Drumcondra, clerk, v. Shortall and Co., Ltd., building contractors, 18 Temple street, Dublin. The plaintiff, Mr. Hand, appealed from a decree of the Recorder awarding him £5 damages for wrongful dismissal, on the ground of the insufficiency of the amount.

Mr. Nolan-Whelan (instructed by Messrs. Noyk and O'Reilly) was for the appellant, the plaintiff; and Mr. Gleeson (instructed by Mr. James Brady) for the respondent, the defendant.

The plaintiff's case was that he was employed under a written contract, contained in a letter dated 29th August, 1921, which provided that he was employed for a term of twelve months, and, that after that period, his employment was only to be terminated on the receipt of three months' notice. He was dismissed by Messrs. Shortall in 1923, receiving only a week's notice. His salary was £5 a week.

Mr. Gleeson, for Messrs. Shortall, said that liability was admitted, inasmuch as his clients, when they terminated the plaintiff's employment owing to the slackness of work, overlooked the fact that he had a special engagement. But when their attention was called to this fact they immediately offered to reinstate him in his former employment. The plaintiff's solicitors, however, wrote back, stating that he was now in negotiation for another position, and was not able to return to Messrs. Shortall.

Mr. Justice Dodd increased the decree to £20.

COUNT O'BRIEN'S NATIONALITY.

CLAIMS TO BE A SPANISH SUBJECT.

In the King's Bench Division, before the Lord Chief Justice,

Mr. Henry said, in the matter of an intended action in which Walpole Brothers are plaintiffs and Count O'Brien defendant, an order was made by Mr. Justice Samuels for service of the writ out of the jurisdiction. It was stated in the writ, which had not been issued yet, that the defendant was a British subject. The plaintiffs had not the Christian name of the defendant, and Mr. Justice Samuels suggested that it would be well to inquire as to that. In the course of their inquiries the defendant himself wrote, stating that he was not a British subject, that he was a Spanish subject, and under these circumstances counsel applied to his lordship to issue a notice of the writ.

The Lord Chief Justice—Where does he live?

Mr. Henry—He lives in the Villa O'Brien, in Biarritz.

Lord Chief Justice—A Spaniard living in France with an Irish name and an Irish claim against him. In that combination of circumstances you can serve by notice.

Mr. Henry said that he promised to pay £10 a month. The amount claimed was £70 9s. 11d., and the defendant's Christian name was Enri. He said that he was a baron.

LAND COMMISSION.

DECISIONS UNDER NEW LAND ACT.

In the Court of the Irish Land Commission, Mr. Justice Wylie delivered judgment in the cases, heard last week, of a number of tenants on the estate of Mr. Julian G. St. Lawrence, situate at Howth and vicinity. The question for decision was whether or not the holdings are holdings to which the Land Act of 1923 applies. On behalf of the landlord it was contended that the holdings are outside the Land Act, on the ground principally in all the cases, except that of Mr. Patrick McKenna, that they possess a substantial value or utility as building ground. In the case of Mr. McKenna's holding it was contended that it is residential and, therefore, also excluded from the Act.

In the case of the holdings of Mr. Fergus O'Neill, Mr. Joseph Butterley and Mr. Patrick Arnold, Mr. Justice Wylie upheld the landlord's contention, deciding that the holdings are not holdings to which the Land Act applies. He also decided in favour of the landlord in Mr. McKenna's case, deciding that his holding is residential. He allowed costs in all cases to the landlord. In the case of the holding of the trustees of the McDoughall estate he decided that it is one to which the Land Act applies, and he allowed the tenants' costs.

Mr. Justice Wylie delivered judgment in the case of the representatives of James Byrne, tenant, and the Earl of Pembroke, landlord, heard the previous week. The holding is situate at the Herbert road, near Bray, and it was contended on behalf of the landlord that it is not a holding to which the Land Act of 1923 applies, on the ground that it possesses a substantial value or utility as building ground.

Mr. Justice Wylie upheld the contention of the landlord, deciding that the building is outside the Act.

Mr. Moloney (instructed by Mr. P. M. Seales) was for the tenants; and Mr. Conner, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Hartley and Barlee) for the landlord.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, April 1, 1924.

REGULAR FORCES.
COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned relinquishes his appointment at the War Office:—Deputy Director of Organisation—Colonel G. W. Howard, C.M.G., D.S.O.

The undermentioned relinquish their temporary appointments at the War Office:—General Staff Officer, 1st Grade—Bt. Lieutenant-Colonel Sir V. G. W. Kell, K.B.E., C.B., Reserve of Officers. General Staff Officer, 2nd Grade—Bt. Lieutenant C. L. S. S. Hill-Dillon, D.S.O., Royal Ulster Rifles. D.A.A.G.—Bt. Major K. Ffrench, M.C., South Wales Borderers.

The undermentioned relinquish their appointments:—A.D.C.'s Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of the Union of South Africa—Captain Lord A. F. H. Hill, the Greys; Captain R. F. Wilkinson, retired.

The undermentioned relinquishes his temporary appointment:—General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade—Bt. Major F. C. Roberts, V.C., D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C., Worcestershire Regiment.

REGULAR FORCES.
INFANTRY.

Lancashire Fusiliers—Lieutenant R. G. Pullan, M.C., to be Captain.

East Surrey Regiment—Major H. H. Stackle, O.B.E., retires on retired pay.

Black Watch—Lieutenant A. Ferrier Kerr placed on half-pay list on account of ill-health.

Manchester Regiment—Lieutenant C. H. Keitley, M.B.E., restored to the establishment.

Royal Irish Fusiliers—Lieutenant I. L. Cronyn seconded for service as Assistant Superintendent, Physical Training. Lieutenant J. L. Kinnaird restored to the establishment.

Royal Army Service Corps—Captain N. L. Craig, D.S.O., O.B.E., is placed on half-pay list on account of ill-health.

Royal Army Ordnance Corps—Temporary Lieutenant L. Dampney relinquishes the acting rank of Major and relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and is granted the rank of Major.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

The undermentioned to be Staff Nurse:—Miss Mary A. V. Souter.

MEMORANDA.

Temporary Captain John O'Sullivan relinquishes his commission.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.
INFANTRY.

Royal Warwickshire Regiment—Major H. C. Hart, retired pay, having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Reserve of Officers.

Suffolk Regiment—2nd Lieutenant W. H. Dunn resigns his commission, and retains the rank of 2nd Lieutenant.

REGULAR FORCES.

Corps of Royal Engineers—Quartermaster and Captain R. T. Gough, M.B.E., retires on retired pay.

PILOT OFFICERS.

The undermentioned officers are confirmed in rank, with effect from the dates indicated:—Pilot Officers—Hubert William Frith (March 16, 1924), Ian Roy Taylor (March 10, 1924).

T. G. PHILLIPS, Military Tailor, 4 Dame street.

MALICIOUS DAMAGE TO PROPERTY.

P.M.G.'S CLAIM FOR COMPENSATION.

Mr. J. J. Walsh, Postmaster-General, was awarded £150 compensation by the Recorder of Dublin yesterday in respect of damage caused by fire to his premises, 26 Blessington street, on December 10, 1922. The claim was for £227 11s., and the estimate of the Board of Works valuer was £118.

Mr. Walsh, in the course of his evidence, said that the incendiaries made use of petrol to feed the flames.

Mrs. Mary Gwynn, wife of Mr. Stephen Gwynn, was allowed £2,750 for the destruction by explosives of the house Temple Hill, Terenure, and £410 for furniture. A full reinstatement provision was made. Mr. Gwynn informed the Court that there was no claim for the clothing destroyed in the house.

His Lordship reported for £150 for repairs and £375 for furniture destroyed by fire on a claim by Mr. Michael Flanagan, Walkinstown House, Crumlin. The burning took place on January 29, 1923.

In a claim for clothing destroyed in the Hammam Hotel it was stated that the applicant was in England and could not attend.

His Lordship—I wonder how he is getting on without the sixteen-guinea dress suit that he is claiming for, and ten shillings for shaving cream. Ridiculous!

An award of £20 was made on the claim by Mr. H. O'Hagan for fish destroyed in the Dublin Fish Market at the time of the Four Courts fighting.

Mr. J. McDonagh, managing director of Sir James Mackie and Co., claimed £1,100 for furniture destroyed in the rooms occupied by him over the firm's premises in Sackville street.

Reporting for £700, his Lordship said that a number of the items on the claim were very extravagant. He specially commented on a claim for £50 for a twelve feet by twelve Brussels carpet.

MURDER OF RAILWAY GUARD.

EVIDENCE AT THE INQUEST.

At the inquest on Daniel O'Leary, a railway guard, who was shot in his home at Drimoleague last Saturday night, the jury found that death was due to shock and haemorrhage, the result of laceration of the brain, caused by bullet wounds wilfully inflicted by some person or persons unknown.

The foreman remarked that it was a case of wilful and brutal murder, and joined with the Coroner in expressing the hope that the perpetrators of the outrage would be brought to justice.

The evidence showed that two men wearing trench coats were seen in the vicinity of O'Leary's house before the shooting. Later one of them was seen at O'Leary's hall door, and this man wore a mask. His accomplice was at the time in the house. Four shots were heard and the men ran from the house. None of the witnesses saw their faces and could not give any description of the men beyond their height and build.

LIFE INSURANCE.

THE RISK CLAUSE IN NORTHERN IRELAND.

It was recently brought to the notice of the Ulster Association that certain insurance companies transacting life insurance business in Northern Ireland were still inserting what is known as "the Irish risk clause," and thereby reflecting on the peaceful conditions prevailing throughout the six counties. The clause stipulated that life policies would not cover the death of the insured person if it arose directly or indirectly, accidentally or intentionally, from war (civil or otherwise), military operations of any kind, invasion, rebellion, civil commotion, riot, tumult, shooting or political disturbance in Ireland. It was further stipulated that in the event of death occurring from any of these causes the companies would only be liable to pay a sum equal to the premiums paid in respect of the policy up to the date of death.

The Ulster Association, through its Belfast and London offices, approached all the insurance companies doing business in Northern Ireland, and replies have been received which show that the majority of the companies have now discontinued the use of the clause referred to, and that they are doing business on the same lines as in England and Scotland.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY APPEAL.

JUDGMENT RESERVED.

In the Court of Appeal, London, yesterday, before Lords Justices Bankes, Warrington and Scrutton, the hearing was continued of the appeal by the Great Southern and Western Railway Company of Ireland from a judgment of Mr. Justice Rowlatt, dismissing a petition of right presented by the company, making a claim against the British Government.

The question was whether the burden of certain agreements made by the Board of Trade during the war had passed to the Irish Free State or still rested with the Government of Great Britain. The effect of these agreements was that the Board of Trade undertook to bear the cost of replacing certain rails and sleepers which were to be removed from a railway line belonging to the suppliants, in Southern Ireland, and which were used elsewhere in Southern Ireland to provide traffic accommodation required under war-time conditions. When the removal was effected the Board of Trade allowed the suppliants the value of the material. Their present claim was for a declaration of their right to be paid by the British Government for the cost of relaying the lines. Mr. Justice Rowlatt held that the liability in question had been transferred to the Irish Free State Government. The appellants' case was that it still rested with the British Government.

The Attorney-General, Sir Patrick Hastings, K.C., referred to various enactments in support of his contention on behalf of the Crown, that there had been a transfer to the Irish Free State Government of all functions, so far as they were exercised in Southern Ireland, of every British Government department, and that the liability under the agreements in question had also been transferred.

Their lordships reserved judgment.

THE MULLINGAR EXPLOSIONS.

REPORTED DAMAGE TO A PLANTATION.

Yesterday was the weekly half-holiday in Mullingar, and, as the Point-to-Point races were held, there were considerable numbers in the town, despite the fact that some people found it difficult to travel roads which had been damaged on Sunday night by explosions or by pickaxes.

It was reported during the day that an outrage had been committed on Monday evening at Cleaboy, Kilpatrick, a few miles from Mullingar, at the place where Major Halliday, a large English racehorse owner has his stud farm. It appears that in three places on this farm a large plantation of trees has been set on fire, and considerable damage has been done.

The Civic Guards are making investigations.

FUNERAL OF SIR WALTER PARRATT.

The funeral of Sir Walter Parratt took place in St. George's Chapel, Windsor, yesterday. The cremation took place on Monday, and the remains, in a casket, were carried from the house on a hand bier by a number of ex-choristers of St. George's.

The Dean of Windsor conducted the Service, and among the mourners were representatives of the King, the Princess Helena Victoria, Princess Marie Louise, and the Archbishop of Canterbury. The casket was buried in the north aisle, close to the spot where Dr. William Child was buried in 1697.

When people come to stay with me they are much more interested in my dogs than in me.—Lord Knutsford.

CANCER AND ITS TREATMENT.

PROPOSED CLINIC IN BELFAST.

DEBATE IN NORTHERN PARLIAMENT.

In the Northern House of Commons yesterday,

Dr. Morrison, in accordance with notice, moved:—"That in the opinion of the House means should be taken by the Government to secure that the recent discoveries of science in regard to intense X-ray therapy in the treatment of cancer and semi-malignant tumours, and also insulin for the treatment of diabetes should be brought within the reach of every poor person in Northern Ireland, and that those objects can best be secured by the establishment of a central clinic in Belfast, to which the people would have access."

He pointed out that the number of deaths from cancer in Belfast last year was 363, and in the whole of the six counties, including Belfast, the number was 1,217. In some cases there were good results from operations; yet, in the long run, it was found that the results proved disappointing. The tendency of all malignant disease was to recur if the patient lived long enough. The new treatment by intense X-ray could deal with tumours deeply seated in the body, which previously could not be treated, and some wonderful results had been achieved. He referred to cases which had been treated in the Dublin Cancer Hospital, where apparently very beneficial results had been obtained, and although some medical men thought that it was early yet to know if complete cures were achieved, yet, in his opinion, they were on the way to solve the cancer problem.

The cost of the apparatus was £1,000 for deep treatment, and 300 guineas for superficial treatment, while the fees for the treatment were £50 in Dublin and £100 in London. Poor people were unable to pay these sums, and on behalf of the poor he advocated the establishment of a central clinic where cancer treatment and treatment of diabetes might be undertaken. He mentioned that two persons had died from diabetes in Belfast by reason of the fact that they could not get the necessary insulin.

Mr. McGuffin, in seconding the resolution, said that it was the supreme duty of a Government to look after the health of the people, and when they had a disease like cancer it was more than the supreme duty of the Government to do everything in their power to combat it. He suggested that their should be a Ministry of Health to look after these matters, and he was sure that the industrial classes would be the last to object.

NO CERTAIN CURE.

Professor Johnstone said that he had been studying this treatment of cancer for the past five or six years, and had an opportunity of inspecting this treatment. He hoped that it was not going out from that House that this deep X-ray treatment was a certain cure for cancer, because that was certainly not the case. It would introduce a new principle into the administration of public health for any Government to provide treatment for any class of the community, unless at the same time it compelled all classes to take it, such as vaccination. An operation, if taken in the early stages of cancer, was undoubtedly the best cure for cancer that had yet been found. Until five years had elapsed it was impossible to say if cancer would recur after deep X-Ray treatment, and that treatment in Ireland had been in operation only about two years. Results could be obtained by radium comparable to the deep X-Ray treatment, which was a German invention.

Undoubtedly the effect of cancer could be alleviated for several years, perhaps, by deep X-Ray treatment, but it was too early yet to say that a complete cure could be effected. The staff of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast, on the advice of their radiological expert, considered that they could not recommend the Committee of Management to incur the expense of deep X-Ray treatment in view of the results so far obtained. A Belfast X-Ray expert was about to introduce a deep X-Ray plant, and he suggested that the Government, rather than go to the expense of another plant, should make arrangements for the treatment of poor people, if suitable cases, at, say, cost price. If the Government had money to spend it would be more useful to purchase radium, which could be utilised for cancer and many other conditions, and place it under the control of some local expert. With regard to insulin, he suggested that the method adopted in Southern Ireland should be adopted, and the Local Government Board could purchase it in large quantities at a cheaper rate, and distribute it to Boards of Guardians. A considerable amount of money could be saved in that way.

MINISTER'S REPLY.

The Minister of Finance said that in view of the large sums of money offered for cures of cancer it would appear that no positive cure had been found up to the present. The Government could not provide money for a treatment in regard to which medical men were divided. Dealing with insulin, he pointed out that the Belfast Board of Guardians and the Guardians at Larne and Newtownards were now able to provide insulin at 1s. 3d. per dose, compared with a former price of 25s., and there appeared to be no limit to the quantity available. Therefore, the Guardians were fully alive to their responsibilities in the matter.

Dr. Morrison said that he had achieved his object in drawing the attention of the House to the matter, and he withdrew his resolution.

THE SPECIAL POLICE.

Colonel Woods asked the Minister of Home Affairs if it was a fact that the demobilisation of the "B" Class Royal Ulster Constabulary had commenced, or whether there was a special reason for the discharge of men from that class at Crossgar.

Sir Dawson Bates replied that it was not intended to make any changes in any of the branches of the Constabulary at the present.

Major Shillington asked if it were true that during the last fortnight a circular had been issued giving changed condition of service of the Special Constabulary, and, if so, was it issued with the authority of the Government.

Sir Dawson Bates—Certainly. A circular was issued setting out the conditions of service of the "B" Constabulary, but when any changes may take effect was a matter for the Government, and there will be no alteration at the present time.

Mr. McGuffin inquired if the reply of the Minister of Home Affairs applied both to the reduction of the numbers and the amount paid.

Sir Dawson Bates replied that he did not know if the hon. member had seen the circular. It was a pretty long one, and referred to the division of the "B" Constabulary into different categories. It was not intended, however, to bring the proposed changes into force at the present time.

Mr. Thompson Donald—Is there to be a reduction of the bonus?

Sir Dawson Bates said that there was to be no reduction of the bonuses. He thought that the terms of service had been entirely forgotten. The terms of service amount to this—Each man has to serve one night in ten, and for that he receives not a bonus but an allowance towards clothing and other things. It was proposed at a later date, if circumstances permitted, and the conditions of peace in the Six Counties allowed it, to alter the service in certain districts to one night in twenty; in other districts where it was unnecessary to have any "B" Constabulary to put them into a reserve class and pay them £3 per annum for attending drills, but, as he said, it was not proposed to bring about any changes at the present time.

INDUSTRIAL ASSURANCE.

The Minister of Commerce (the Right Hon. E. M. Archdale), replying to Colonel Woods, said that it was the intention of the Government to introduce an Industrial Assurance Bill in the present session, which will bring Northern Ireland into line with Great Britain in Committee upon Supply.

AN APPOINTMENT AT WEMBLEY.

The appointment of the Deputy Serjeant-at-Arms, who also holds the position of Black Rod, and is in receipt of a pension for service in India, as manager of the Ulster Pavilion at Wembley at a salary of £300 per annum, was adversely criticised, and it was suggested that an ex-Service man, without any other appointments, should have been given the position.

Mr. Crawford stated that this gentleman's emoluments amounted to more than that of a Cabinet Minister.

The Minister of Finance said that he was the person principally responsible for the Deputy-Serjeant of Arms' appointment as manager of the Ulster Pavilion. When inquiries were made it was found that they could not get a gentleman to discharge these duties efficiently at less than £1,000 per year, and in the interests of the finances of the province he vetoed this large sum of money being added to the estimates. The Department of Commerce subsequently were able to get the duties carried out at £300, which he considered a reasonable arrangement in view of the fact that it was only a temporary appointment.

THE CHAR-A-BANC BILL.

Sir Dawson Bates moved the second reading of the Char-a-Banc Regulation Bill, which gave local authorities more powers of supervision over the licensing and regulating of char-a-banc traffic.

Mr. Crawford suggested that drivers or owners of char-a-bancs should be made responsible for the conduct of passengers upon their vehicles. Often their passengers made use of party expressions, and were objectionable towards other users of the roads, and frequently they threw things at passers-by.

The Hon. Harry Mulholland said that in England passengers on char-a-bancs were liable to prosecution for unseemly language or for throwing missiles at people.

Mr. McMahon suggested that the number of passengers and the size of the char-a-banc should be limited so as not to be a serious impediment to other traffic on narrow roads.

Mrs. Chichester advocated the use of mirrors on char-a-bancs and all motor lorries.

The Attorney-General undertook to introduce into the bill provisions to carry out the intention of the speakers where these were not already provided for.

The House adjourned.

PRESENTATION TO A JUDGE.

At the Antrim Quarter Sessions yesterday, the solicitors practising in Ballymena presented Judge Thompson with a silver rose bowl on the occasion of his marriage.

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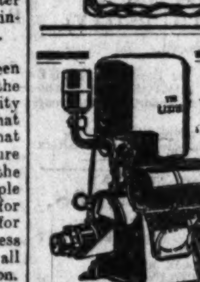

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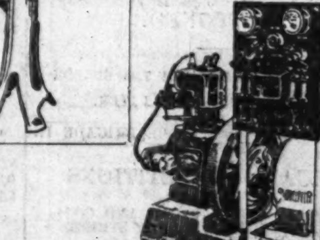

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To-night at 7.30, in the Molesworth Hall, Mrs. Freeman will deliver a lecture entitled "Man—the Master of Destiny."

EXPORT OF CATTLE.

FINES FOR BREACH OF REGULATIONS.

In the Dublin Police Court yesterday, Mr. Cooper, K.C., fined Joseph Sweeney, Grangegorman, £10 on each of two summonses for breach of the Department of Agriculture's Cattle Export Order.

Patrick O'Shaughnessy, a cattle drover, and stated to be illiterate by his solicitor, was also fined £10 for a breach of the Order.

The Order requires every consignor of cattle, or his agent, to fill up a declaration setting out the number of cattle consigned and the name and address of the person from whom they were purchased. The declaration must be signed by the stationmaster at the place of railing.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

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TO-MORROW (THURSDAY)
at 4.30 o'clock.
The Chair will be taken by the President, RIGHT HON. SIR D. PLUNKET BARTON, Bart., who will move the adoption of the Report for the year 1923.
The Report of the Linen Guild will be read.
Tea will be served after the Meeting and visitors will be shown over the Hospital.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
SIR LEONARD ROGERS,
C.I.E., F.R.S., F.R.C.P., F.R.C.A., I.M.S. (ret.)
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ADVERTISEMENTS.

The following is the order of Advertisements in to-day's *Irish Times*:—

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TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"The Return of Sherlock Holmes," 2.30 and 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—"The Whirlwind," 6.45 and 9.
Abbey Theatre—"The Whiteheaded Boy," 8 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"A Trip to Paris," 6.45 and 9.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"Jacqueline" and "The Grand National."
Metropole Cinema—"Ashes of Vengeance."
The Grafton—"Mary of the Movies."
Princess, Rathmines—"The Agony of the Eagles."
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"Love, Life and Laughter," 3.30 to 6 p.m. The Toner Memorial Concert, 7.45 p.m.
Concert—St. Andrew's College, 8 p.m.
Pictures by Jack B. Yeats—Engineers' Hall, 35 Dawson street, 11 to 5.30.
Floral Fête—Abbey Street Methodist Church, 3.30.
Dail Eireann, 3 p.m.
Rathmines Council, 10 a.m.
Dublin Union, 11 a.m.
Lecture at 5 Parnell square, 8 p.m.
Lecture—Molesworth Hall, 7.45 p.m.
Musical Recital—St. Mary's, Donnybrook, 8 p.m.
Mercer's Hospital Pound Day.
Debate at Mansion House—"Prohibition v. Free Trade," 8 p.m.
Dublin Commission—Green street, 11 a.m.
Dublin Sessions—Dublin Castle, 11 a.m.

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHBISHOP OF BIRMINGHAM.

There is no improvement in the condition of Dr. MacIntyre, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Birmingham, who was recently stricken with an apoplectic seizure.

The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1924.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Some remarkable figures of the Free State's trade for the month of January were issued yesterday.—(Page 5.)

The Budget estimates for the Free State were published last night, showing a deficit of over £8,000,000, to be obtained by "borrowing or otherwise."—(Page 5.)

The Northern Education Act, so far as it concerns the powers of the City Education Committees in Belfast and Londonderry, came into force yesterday.—(Page 7.)

The *Dail* yesterday passed the Summertime Bill.—(Page 7.)

The Local Government Department inquiry into the administration of the Dublin Corporation was continued yesterday.—(Page 3.)

The staffs of the Letterkenny Asylum struck work yesterday, and the six hundred patients have been left in charge of one woman and a few men. Several patients escaped during the day. Some were recaptured by the strikers.—(Page 5.)

Amongst the claimants awarded compensation by the Recorder of Dublin yesterday in respect of malicious damage to property was Mr. J. J. Walsh, Postmaster-General.—(Page 3.)

Speaking at a reception in Belfast last night, Mr. Pollock, the Northern Minister of Finance, said that not a square inch of their territory would be surrendered at the arrogant call of any man.—(Page 6.)

Mr. John Good, T.D., declares that the Rent Restriction Act is chiefly to blame for the depression in house-building in the Free State.—(Page 6.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Four thousand men employed in the building trades at the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley have gone on strike in order to secure an increase of twopence *per* hour.—(Page 5.)

Official intimation was received yesterday that the Port of Holyhead is not to be closed to Irish cattle in connection with the foot-and-mouth disease outbreak.—(Page 7.)

In the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Ponsonby moved the second reading of the Treaty of Peace (Turkey) Bill, which gives effect to the Treaty concluded in July last at Lausanne. The debate on the Bill was adjourned at 8.15.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD

The Munich treason trials have ended in the acquittal of General Ludendorff, and the virtual acquittal of all the other defendants; for Hitler, Weber, Pochner, and Colonel Kriebel will be confined for only a few weeks in a fortress.—(Page 5.)

The German Government has sent a Note to the Council of Ambassadors suggesting that certain questions concerning the disarmament of Germany should be decided by the League of Nations.—(Page 6.)

SPORTING.

At Warwick yesterday Ecstasy won the Milverton Three-Year-Old Handicap.—(Page 8.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were very cheerful yesterday, under the stimulus of the new Conversion Loan issue.—(Page 9.)

Money was in better supply in Lombard street, but the demand was urgent and rates kept firm. Foreign Exchanges steady, with francs improving.—(Page 9.)

In Dublin there was a sharp advance in British Funds. National Loan kept firm at 97. Bank of Ireland Stock strong and 3 points better at 269.—(Page 9.)

An Eviction Scandal.

At the end of the ironic events of a Greek drama the chorus was wont to remark, in its sententious fashion, that the gods did queer things. Fortune has done queer things in Ireland during the last few years; and, perhaps, the queerest of all has been her treatment of the Royal Dublin Society. We had many prophets of evil three years ago, but none of them dared to predict that this great body would suffer harm at the hands of a native Government. The Royal Dublin Society's claims on the gratitude and goodwill of Irishmen of all parties, creeds and classes are indefeasible. For nearly two hundred years it has been, in thought and deed, the most patriotic of all national institutions. It has done, and has striven to do, the very things which our political leaders of six generations have put in the forefront of their economic programmes. Although most of its members had strong attachments to British rule, the Society gave loyal allegiance to the new order. When the Free State Government was homeless, the Society put a part of its headquarters at the service of the National Parliament. That generous act was the beginning of the Society's doom; for it seems now that the young cuckoo will be content with nothing less than the whole nest. The Government, unable at present to afford the expense of re-claiming the Bank of Ireland, and unwilling to shift itself to the Royal Hospital at Kilmainham, proposes to occupy the Society's entire premises at Leinster House for an indefinite period. This proposal, supported by a joint Committee of the *Oireachtas*, will come before Parliament on Friday, and the Society regards it with consternation. Already the great work of two hundred years has been impaired by the Government's partial occupation of Leinster House. If the Society is expelled altogether, its unity will be shattered, its *prestige* will be diminished and its members will be dissipated and lost. It will have been wounded sorely—perhaps, fatally—in the house of its friends.

The Society refuses to put its rights to the test of law, since any such procedure would be a departure from its proud tradition of confidence in the Irish people. We hope earnestly that the action of the people's representatives will justify its faith. It is important, of course, that the *Oireachtas* shall be housed properly and adequately; but even important needs can be met at too high a cost. When the eviction project comes before Parliament on Friday its advocates must give the country complete satisfaction on two points. In the first place, they must prove that the expulsion of the Royal Dublin Society from Leinster House is an absolute necessity. In other words, they must prove that the *Oireachtas* requires fuller accommodation and can get it nowhere save at Leinster House. The people will not be content with mere assurances, but will demand definite details concerning such buildings as the Royal Hospital and Dublin Castle. If this part of the evictors' case is proved, they must proceed to show what they are prepared to do for the Royal Dublin Society. The joint Committee suggests alternatives—that the Society shall be provided with other premises or with monetary compensation for disturbance. The latter suggestion is grossly unfair. If suitable premises do not exist, money cannot buy them; and to throw the Society into the street at a moment when it is approaching the most important of its annual enterprises would be a shocking injustice to it and a grave injury to the public welfare. There can be only one possible justification of the Committee's proposal. Having proved that the seizure of Leinster House is inevitable, Ministers must be prepared to put the Society immediately in possession of other premises where, as a united body, it will have ample room and every convenience for the pursuit of its many-sided work. If the Government cannot provide such premises at once, the proposal to expel the Society from its lawful home ought not to be supported by a dozen votes in *Dail Eireann*. No Government can afford, under any pressure of circumstances, to ignore the simple demands of decency and gratitude.

The Cost of Order.

Analysis of the Free State estimates for the coming year reveal some interesting facts. The total "saving" in comparison with last year amounts to about £14,000,000, and one-half of this sum has been saved on the Army. By his reduction of the salaries of national teachers, and the "cut" of one shilling in old age pensions, Mr. Blythe has been able to make certain minor economies; but, apart from the Army, "ordinary" expenditure has remained virtually constant. The maintenance of order is the most expensive item in the Free State Budget, and the fact that it is becoming cheaper is an excellent sign of national progress. Last year the Army and police forces cost the country about £12,600,000 all told, or more than twenty-seven *per cent.* of the total national outlay. This year they will cost only about £6,000,000, or less than nineteen *per cent.* Thus, the Free State has started along the road towards normal conditions. In 1912-1913, under British rule, Ireland was perfectly peaceful. That year is regarded throughout Europe as the last of the "normal" years of our times; and, reckoning the pound sterling in those days as being worth two pounds to-day, we find that the British Government spent, roughly, £2,500,000 on the maintenance of order in the twenty-six counties of Southern Ireland. We assume, for the purpose of argument, that the expenses of the twenty-six counties were three-quarters of the whole. On this basis, therefore, the difference between £6,000,000 and £2,500,000 represents, broadly, the measure of "abnormality" under which the Free State is suffering to-day. The reduction of that measure ought to be the aim of every citizen inside and outside the Government.

The Free State Army is far too expensive for its size. One of the minor disadvantages under which the Irish Government has been labouring is the fact that it has inherited all its financial standards from the British administration of this country. If a man was earning, say, £500 a year in a post under the British Government in Ireland, he still expects to be paid £500 by the Free State. Now that we have got rid of the old fable that Britain was bleeding Ireland white and pocketing the proceeds, it is high time that we should adopt new financial standards. Our finances ought to be compared, not with those of a great country like Britain, but rather with those of countries like Denmark and Switzerland. The cost of the military establishments of these two countries is illuminating. The Free State Army has some 20,000 men and costs £4,000,000. The Danish Army has a standing establishment of 60,000 men and costs only £1,750,000, while the Swiss Army, with its 140,000 men, costs only £3,750,000 a year. Each of these armies can double its *personnel* in the field. It is obvious that the Free State continues to base its expenditure on British precedent, and until there is a completely new orientation in this respect expenses are bound to be high. Another path to economy is that of popular support for the Government. Disorder can reign in a country only through the consent—either active or passive—of its inhabitants. Most of the Free State's troubles during the past few years have been due to the fact that the bulk of the population was apathetic, and that the ordinary sanctions of the law had no real backing in a vigorous public opinion. Now we are paying for our failure to realise the common duties of independent citizenship. While the people are slack a big army will be necessary. When they recognise that support of a Government means something more than a vote for a particular party at a general election—when, for example, they begin to deal with armed robbers as they would be dealt with in the streets of Manchester or Stockholm—the need of a costly force for the maintenance of order will disappear, and political independence will begin really to mean something in the Free State.

The Armenians.

The Russian Government has offered a strip of territory at Erivan as a national home for the Armenians. Erivan is situated some hundred miles south of Tiflis, about mid-way between the Black Sea and the Caspian. The Erivan Republic already is occupied by 300,000 Armenians, and the offer refers to additional territory which is capable of supporting the 130,000 Armenians who are now resident in Turkey. A sum of between £500,000 and £1,000,000 is required to effect the settlement. France is willing to help, but the British Government's attitude has not been disclosed. The European War held no worse horror than the massacres of Armenians by the Turks. These people suffered partly because they were Christians and partly because they supported the Allies; and Great Britain, without doubt, is under a moral obligation to them. There is, of course, no suggestion of private charity: it is rather a matter for the League of Nations, whose attitude would be swayed by British influence. If the Armenian problem could be settled at a cost of a million pounds, Europe would have made an excellent bargain. Erivan, however, is in a perilously isolated position, and there is no assurance that the Armenians would be secure there from fresh persecution at the hands of their Turkish neighbours in the South. Furthermore, the Armenians are a commercial people who might not be satisfied to dwell in a remote enclave of the Caucasus. They may prefer, with all its risks, proximity to the new brand of civilisation in Turkey.

War Stores.

The end of last month saw the completion of the labours of the British Disposal and Liquidation Commission. In five years the huge sum of £665,000,000 has been brought into the Exchequer from the sale of surplus war stocks and properties. Three million separate transactions were handled, including the sale of railways in Europe, Asia and Africa, and of shipping in a thousand harbours. Among the largest receipts were twenty-four million pounds for rolling-stock, industrial plant and machinery; seventy millions for metals, thirty-two and a quarter millions for textiles and thirteen millions for real estate. A profit of approximately £78,000,000 resulted from the sale of £335,000,000 worth of raw materials, including wool, jute and leather. This result is a high tribute to the business ability of the Board. Thirty-four thousand war contracts were outstanding at the time of the Armistice, and their cancellation required the settlement of nearly three-quarters of a million claims. The statistics illustrate the unprecedented magnitude of the British war effort. Five million tons of material and stores were handled altogether, while 926,000 tons of ammunition, 17,000 tons of poison gas and explosive, and 22,000 tons of cordite were destroyed or rendered innocuous.

A GREAT DUTCH ARTIST.

JAN STEEN'S ONE FAILURE.

The course of Hermione lectures on the Dutch painters, at Alexandra College, Dublin, was brought to a close yesterday afternoon, with a description and analytical criticism of the work of Jan Steen, who was born at Leyden about 1626. The lecture was illustrated by means of lantern slides.

Dr. Martin showed that Steen was not only a painter of jokes, but also of works of art, with deeply earnest bases; that he was not only a *genre* painter, but also a landscape painter, and a moralist, and, before all else, a wonderfully talented colourist and designer, a great connoisseur of humanity, and one of the most powerful creators of beauty that the history of art knows.

It has been discovered that Steen was not what history portrayed him—an idle drunkard, the frequenter of taverns, the jovial companion of loose-living fellows. His more than 500 completed pictures proved that he was a hard worker. Little was really known of him, beyond what his pictures teach; that he was a restless, high-spirited, lively personality, gifted with a great talent for creation—a painter by God's good grace.

Jan Steen followed those Dutch masters who preceded him, chose their subjects, often their colours and their technique. He possessed great inborn power of observation, combined with an inimitable sense of humour and a talent for varying composition. Even his signature was continually varied. He was, above all, a realist, with great imagination. He was always able to work up a figure or subject, in reality not picturesque, to what is, in a high degree, a picturesque appearance. He became, as no other had ever become, the most genial painter of "conditions."

Steen's failure was in his sacred pictures. One looked in vain for inspiration, grandeur, the mysterious, the tender sadness in his pictures of the Christ. He depicts Christ in a way that is beautifully felt, as a man of the people, as a simple man, as one who goes about among men; but without giving to the figure or the face or the look anything to raise one's mind. But, in spite of his exaggeration, the mediocrity of his subjects, and the desire to produce pictures based on reality, Jan Steen was not only a poet, but also a religious man. Everywhere he showed himself to have a great knowledge of humanity.

Commencing with "The Prayer," Dr. Martin had thrown on the screen almost thirty photographic productions of Steen's pictures. Those were so beautifully soft in tone and rich in detail that the colouring, while, of course, unseen, could be felt. The audience frequently had to express their appreciation. The lecturer's indication of the characteristics of the different works was very interesting.

At the conclusion, Dr. Joly, Warden of the College, who presided, proposed a vote of thanks to the lecturer, and this was passed with enthusiasm.

WEATHER FORECAST

General Inference. — A long, narrow ridge of high pressure stretches from the Azores over the British Isles to Scandinavia. Quiet, fair weather is probable in the North, with a moderate day temperature. In the South the north-easterly winds will continue for a time, with mainly fair weather and little change of temperature.

Ireland. — Wind mainly light and indefinite; fair to fine; visibility good, apart from morning mist locally; moderate day temperature.

South-West Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland. — Wind mainly north-easterly, moderate, fresh locally; mainly fair; visibility good; sea moderate.

Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Light, variable winds; fair; visibility good; sea slight.

North-West Seaboard, Northern Ireland to Hebrides. — Wind indefinite or south-westerly, light to moderate; variable cloud; visibility good; sea slight or moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

BAROMETER.
Dublin—Tuesday (5 p.m.) 30.40

SUN.

	Rises	Sets
To-day	5.57	7. 1
To-morrow	5.55	7. 3
Lighting-up Time		8. 1

HIGH WATER.
DUBLIN.

	Morning	Afternoon
To-day	10.30	10.53
To-morrow	11. 8	11.24

AFTERNOON PARTY AT CLANDEBOYE.

The Duchess of Abercorn gave an afternoon party at Clandeboye yesterday, to which two hundred ladies were invited. On Monday the Governor and the Duchess of Abercorn entertained the Marquis of Dufferin and Ava, Lieutenant-Colonel Pakenham, C.M.G., and Mrs. Molloy to luncheon.

GIFT TO DERRY CORPORATION.

The Derry Corporation yesterday received from an anonymous source a donation of £100 in notes towards the relief of the city rates.

Ours is a democracy which has not yet learnt to detect the difference between the false and the true.—Mr. Baldwin.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The King will be present to-morrow at Hawthorn Hill, when the Household Brigade Steeplechases will be held. Before they left London yesterday for Windsor Castle Their Majesties visited the Royal Zoological Gardens, and spent some time in inspecting the newly-finished aquarium.

Princess Victoria, one of the sponsors of the little daughter of the Hon. George and Mrs. Monckton-Arundel, was unable to attend the baptism in St. Mark's, North Audley street, London, owing to an attack of influenza. The Dowager Countess of Antrim acted as proxy for the Princess, and the Hon. Mrs. Lowther was also a godmother. After the ceremony Mrs. Monckton-Arundel, who is a daughter of the late Lord Annaly, entertained a small party at tea at 48 Portland place. The guests included the Countess of Leicester, Cora Countess of Strafford, Lady Henry Seymour and Miss Seymour, the Countess of Airlie, Lady Annaly, the Hon. Charles and Mrs. White, Lady Delia Peel, Lady Annabel Dodds, Lady Cynthia Colville, Lady Marjorie Hamilton and the Hon. Maude O'Brien.

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Lady Patricia Ramsay and the Marchioness of Carisbrooke were among the visitors at the private view of the Exhibition of the Royal Society of British Artists, which is now open in London. Yesterday, Lady Patricia Ramsay spent some time at the Chippendale furniture exhibition which is on view at the Royal School of Needlework.

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The Earl of Iveagh has arrived in London from Madeira. The Countess of Sefton has returned to London from the Continent. Lord Rochdale, who has been touring in India, has returned to England. Viscount and Viscountess Grey of Fallodon have arrived in London from Wilsford Manor. Lord and Lady Carmichael, the Hon. Lady Birkin and Lady Hambro are among the latest arrivals in London from Paris.

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Viscount Glerawley, only son and heir of the seventh Earl of Annesely, celebrates his thirtieth birthday to-day. He served for some time in the Royal Fusiliers, and in 1921 married the daughter of Major A. A. Rawlinson, of Alford street, London.

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Northwards, a handsome residence in the environs of Johannesburg, has been placed at the disposal of the Prince of Wales for his visit to the Transvaal. The owner, Sir George Albu, who has also a house in Grosvenor place, London, is Chairman and Managing Director of the General Mining and Finance Corporation, Ltd., of Johannesburg, where he holds the post of Danish Counsul. By birth a German, he emigrated many years ago to the Transvaal, where he was naturalised a British subject, and in 1911 was naturalised in England. In 1912 he was made a Baronet. His only surviving son was eighteen last September, and one of his daughters is married to Mr. Erroll Gordon Hay.

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Many Irish friends attended the private view of the Hon. Mrs. Coulson-Fellowes's pictures and Signor R. Assanti's bronzes at the Walker Galleries in New Bond street, London. Among those present were the Dowager Duchess of Abercorn, the Marchioness of Downshire, the Countess of Dunmore and Lady M. Murray, the Earl of Cavan, Lady Winifred Gore, Kathleen Viscountess Falmouth, Lady Mabel Coke, the Hon. Mrs. Donough O'Brien, the Hon. Henry O'Brien, Sir Philip Burne-Jones and Mrs. Stanley Baldwin.

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The engagement is announced between John Aitken, B.A., LL.B., of the Legal Department, Gold Coast, and Violet Pauline, second daughter of Hastings Fitzedward Peet, late Director Public Works, Nigeria, and Mrs. Peet, Glenbrook, Delgany.

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A marriage is arranged, and will take place in June, between Walter, second son of the late Vincent S. Carroll, Dundalk House, Dundalk, and Rosemary, youngest daughter of the late John P. Smyth and of Mrs. Smyth, Collegnes, Booterstown, Co. Dublin.

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Mrs. Kent has arrived at 71 Grafton street from London.

Arrangements for the season in Switzer's Débutante Gallery are now complete. The Spring Catalogue is ready, and there are hundreds of Gowns from Paris at very reasonable prices.

Switzer's Restaurant remains open until 6 p.m. on Saturdays—1st floor, 90 Grafton st. Shop entrance through Débutante Gallery. Two lifts.

Model Gowns for Afternoon and Dinner Wear. New Tailor-mades, Jumper Suits and Knit Sports Wear—At Holmes', George's st.

Holmes' for Inexpensive Gowns—We have just secured some lovely Frocks in All-Silk Chiffon Taffetas, cut long, graceful, not skimpy, lines; prettily ruched, corded, pin tucked, cascade and ruche effects; in three different styles, beautiful shades of Peach, Flame, Apricot, Daffodil, Fuchsia, Nattier, Royal, Cyclamen, Paon, and Shots, 18s. 9d. and 21s.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

The "Marvel" Darner. Demonstrations to-day, suitable for stockings, silks, cotton, woollen or woven goods. Call and see it demonstrated.—Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

Alice, 18 Stephen's Green, is showing a beautiful and exclusive collection of Glenster, Condor and other Hats.

Mrs. Bothwell has returned to 77 Grafton street with a selection of Smart Hats, Gowns, and Suits suitable for country wear.

Flesh pink silk stockinette nightie, 32s. 11d. Vest to match, with lace edge, 12s. 11d., at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street, 1 and 2 Harry street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals:—Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Tivy, C. J. Bentley, Mrs. R. S. Gorman.

Departures:—Colonel Jameson Davis, Mr. J. O'Sullivan, Rev. E. Preston, Miss Wando Keogh, Lieutenant-Colonel Verschoyle Campbell, Mrs. Breen, Miss R. Meldon, Mrs. D. D. Stewart, Mrs. C. H. Ashworth, Mr. Dennis, S. W. Gore, Miss Ada Beatty, Mr. L. M. Vanston.

Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

Special Sale of Furniture and Household Goods this week at McBirney's.

Mrs. Hague (Mansfield Sisters) has returned to 28 Wicklow street with a selection of Smart Gowns, Hats, and the very latest in Sports Wear.

Miss Betty Case (from London), Expert Shoe Fitter, is demonstrating daily at Robert's easy-fitting shoes for ladies who desire comfort as well as appearance. Measures taken and recorded for future order if ladies do not wish an immediate purchase.—Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

Adopt Irish Poplin for Millinery. Unlimited colours. Models of surpassing beauty.—Atkinson's, College Green.

To LADIES.—Elastic Stockings, Belts and Medical Appliances. Special department for ladies on 1st floor. Female attendant.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton st.

MR. McGRATH'S PARTY.

STATEMENT OF POLICY TO-DAY.

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

Nothing was heard in the Dail yesterday of the Army crisis, or even of the position of "Mr. McGrath's Party," as General Mulcahy last week referred to it. It was expected that there would be some indication of the presence of a new group in the Opposition. Contrary to expectation, however, there was no gap in the Ministerial benches; the secessionists, or what few of them were in the House, still occupied the same seats on the Government side.

Mr. McGrath, who returned to town yesterday morning, after several days' absence, did not make his appearance until shortly before the adjournment, and then he remained but a few minutes. Both Mr. Alec McCabe and Mr. Dan McCarthy, who are members of the newly-formed Republican Party, voted with the Government on all divisions.

It is understood that a statement of policy and proposals will be made (outside the Dail) on behalf of the new group to-day, when some information may be available about the date on which the party will cross to the Opposition benches. It has been decided that the group will style itself simply "the Republican Party." It is considered that the word "constitutional" is superfluous.

To-morrow the final report of the Broadcasting Committee will come up for consideration in the Dail. The Senate will also reassemble to-morrow.

LONDON LETTER.

MR. WHEATLEY AGAIN.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

The Minister of Health's new Bill to deal with evictions taking place under the Rents Act has given a considerable shock to the House of Commons. The second reading is to be taken to-morrow, and there are doubts whether it will survive the ordeal. A highly contentious clause has been inserted in the Bill by Mr. Wheatley, which will prevent an order for possession from being given against a tenant who, through unemployment, is in arrears with his rent. This strikes many members as going too far. Mr. W. A. Stevenson, who is Secretary of the Tenants' Protection Association, describes it as "stretching a point, and going more or less into Bolshevism." In his opinion, tenants have to "treat a landlord a little fairly, and it is unfair to restrict a man from getting his living because another man is out of work." There are many thousands of small houses in the country belonging to the occupier who lets out a part. Under the Bill the lodger may be out of work for a year, and during that period no steps can be taken against him unless the landlord can prove that his hardship is greater than that of his tenant.

The Budget.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer announced this afternoon that he intended to introduce his Budget on April 29th, the first day on which the House will meet after the Easter recess. To-day the news came from the United States that the income tax there is to be reduced by twenty-five *per cent.*; but people on this side of the Atlantic can look for no reduction of a burden of taxation heavier than that borne by any other country. Nobody here thinks for one moment that Mr. Snowden will take even sixpence off the income tax, much less one shilling and a penny halfpenny, compared with the United States reduction. On present figures it is thought that the income for the financial year starting to-day should show a surplus of anything between ten and fifteen millions, and a sixpence off the income tax would cost twenty millions.

The Reduction.

Opinion in the Lobby, however, inclines to the view that Mr. Snowden will not touch the income tax, but will reduce or rearrange the incidence of the entertainment tax, take something off the sugar duty, and make provision, as promised, for the changes in the old age pensions and insurance schemes. To do this much he will need more revenue than he has in sight, and members are asking where he expects to obtain it. The Chancellor may have something novel in the way of taxation to propose; but, since it is scarcely probable that he will impose it on all classes, it is unlikely to bring in any very large sum.

Mr. Macdonald's Health.

Mr. Clynes was leading the House of Commons to-day, and the Prime Minister was not present. It is understood that Mr. Macdonald, who has been suffering rather acutely from sciatica, is now much better, though his appearance suggests that he is badly in need of a good holiday. It is related that Mr. Macdonald has not the happy facility of throwing off his worries when he has finished work, but rather broods and ponders over them.

Mr. Oswald Mosley.

Members of the House of Commons take very little interest in the movements of Mr. Mosley, and his letter to the Prime Minister has passed almost unheeded. Several of them, however, express the opinion that Mr. Mosley will not stop his movement to the Left until he finds a place among the Clyde extremists, and is in a position to attack the Prime Minister and his Government. There is a prospect, however, that he may be given a post under the Government, and in such an event it may be found that the responsibility will have a marked effect.

The Glendinning Case.

Lieutenant Glendinning is making substantial progress with his case against the authorities for compensation for the treatment which he received while in India. The Government has now cabled to India instructions for the immediate return of the complete proceedings in this case; and Lord Henry Cavendish-Bentinck, who asked a question this afternoon on the case, will raise it again next Monday. Mr. Cahir Healy is putting all the circumstances before the Liberal Chief Whip, with a view to securing the support of that party, and it is fully expected that some of the Liberal members will try to secure a debate on the case next week.

The Wembley Strike.

Peaceful persuasion to make unwilling men strike was seen in all its naked beauty at Wembley to-day. Four thousand builders decided on an unofficial strike last night, and this morning they went to the exhibition grounds and compelled six thousand others to join them. Marching in gangs round the place, they dragooned everybody they came into contact with until they left their work. At the Burma section the unwilling had to be coerced with half bricks, while a number of girls employed in decorating work were to be pulled from their scaffolds if they did not cease work immediately. The girls, however, are to resume work to-morrow under police protection. The opening date of the Exhibition, fixed for St. George's Day, is in jeopardy, and a representative of the employers stated this afternoon that a postponement was inevitable. This fact is fully appreciated by the strikers, who are receiving no support from their union in their demand for an extra twopence *per* hour.

The Prince of Wales.

The Prince of Wales has given up his intention of being present at the Government dinner at Lancaster House to-morrow evening, to mark the jubilee of the National Gallery, and will leave Victoria by the early boat train to-morrow to spend a short holiday at Biarritz, in order that he may recuperate after his recent accident. The Prince is to travel as Earl of Chester, and it is said that the sole reason why he is going so far is that on the advice of his doctor he is to get some sunshine. The Prince is to stay at one of the hotels as an ordinary tourist. Biarritz has many memories of his famous grandfather, King Edward.

The Tailteann Games.

The Irish Athletic Club in London has been given the privilege of competing directly for the English National Trials for Aonach Tailteann without the process of eliminating trials, and is organising a team to represent it. The burden of organisation, however, will be heavy, and as the Club is non-political and non-sectarian, and members belong to all corners of Ireland and Great Britain, a fund is being opened to provide a strong team, and an appeal is made for contributions.

The Boat Race.

Interest in the University boat race is as keen this year as ever. The usual crowds of spectators have lined the banks since the arrival of the crews for their daily practice between Putney and Mortlake. Tow-path critics agree that there should be an unusually close contest next Saturday, and expert opinion is that, though the Oxford crew showed a decided superiority earlier in the training, there has been a considerable improvement in the work of the Cambridge eight. What little betting there has been on the event shows that the Dark Blues are slightly the favourites, but the odds are very near "even money."

FREE STATE BUDGET ESTIMATES.

£8,650,000 DEFICIT.

SMALLER REVENUE FROM EXCISE AND CUSTOMS ANTICIPATED.

DROP IN INCOME TAX RECEIPTS.

The Estimates of the Receipts and Expenditure for the Free State for the year ending 31st March, 1925, were issued yesterday.

These show an estimated deficit of £8,658,000, which will have to be found by "borrowing or otherwise." The Minister of Finance anticipates a gross expenditure of £36,846,273 for the year, against £42,792,000 last year, and he is faced with a drop of £2,500,000 in his tax revenue and £1,200,000 in his non-tax revenue.

The "Dublin Gazette" containing the exchequer returns for the past year was not published at the usual hour last night, so it is not possible to compare the estimated and the actual figures for 1923-4.

ESTIMATE OF RECEIPTS.

	1923-24. £	1924-25. £
Tax Revenue	25,082,000	22,543,000
Non-Tax Revenue	6,373,628	5,144,300
Capital Raised for Special Purposes	414,000	500,000
Additional Amount to be found by Borrowing or otherwise to cover Expenditure as hereinafter set forth	10,922,684	8,658,973
Total Receipts	£42,792,312	£36,846,273

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURE.

	1923-24. £	1924-25. £
Central Fund Services	6,627,495	4,472,482
Supply Services	35,750,817	31,873,791
Capital Issues	414,000	500,000
Total Expenditure	£42,792,312	£36,846,273

DETAILS OF THE ESTIMATE OF RECEIPTS.

The particulars of the Tax Revenue are as follows, the estimated figures for 1924-25 being based on the rates at present in force, and the comparative figures for 1923-24 being revised according to the latest information available:—

	1923-24. £	1924-25. £
Customs	8,220,000	7,789,000
Excise	9,337,000	7,744,000
Estate Duties	1,000,000	925,000
Stamp Duties	490,000	485,000
Income Tax	5,175,000	4,580,000
Super-Tax		420,000
Excess Profits Duty	100,000	—
Corporation Profits Tax	360,000	250,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	400,000	350,000
	£25,082,000	£22,543,000

The particulars of the Non-Tax Revenue are as follows:—

	1923-24. £	1924-25. £
Postal Service	1,445,000*	1,254,000
Telegraph Service	263,000*	263,300
Telephone Service	262,000*	275,000
Special Rate under the Damage to Property (Compensation) Act, 1923	140,000	420,000
Instalment of British Contribution towards Compensation	2,310,000	1,730,000
Miscellaneous	1,953,628†	1,202,000
Total	£6,373,628	£5,144,300

*The Postal, Telegraph, and Telephone Revenue of 1923-24 as here shown includes an aggregate sum of about £247,000 of the Revenue of 1922-23 which did not actually reach the Exchequer until after 31st March, 1923. The corresponding amount to be carried over at 31st March of 1924 and later years will, it is expected, be considerably smaller.

†This figure includes an item of £1,021,086 receipts into the Exchequer in respect of annuities under the Land Purchase Acts of 1891, 1903, and 1909. Since the passing of the Land Act, 1923, these annuities no longer pass through the Exchequer, being payable to the Purchase Annuities Fund set up under that Act.

The particulars of Capital raised for special purposes are as follows:—

	1923-24. £	1924-25. £
(1) Under the Telegraph Acts to provide Telephone Capital	70,000	150,000
(2) Under the Unemployment Insurance Acts to provide Advances for the Unemployment Fund	344,000	350,000
Total	£414,000	£500,000

DETAILS OF THE ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURE.

The particulars of Expenditure for Central Fund Services are as follows:—

	1923-24. £	1924-25. £
Local Taxation Grants:		
Agricultural Grant under the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898	599,011	599,011
Exchequer Contribution under the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891	36,154	36,154
Local Taxation (Customs and Excise) Duties Grant	86,811	86,811
Grants under Section 58 of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898, &c.	200,757	206,049
Estate Duty Grant	73,976	78,100
Payments to Road Fund	559,000	770,000
Judicial Pensions	19,031	18,368
Judicial Salaries	57,891	55,100
Other Salaries and Allowances	16,566	12,889
Griffith Annuity	1,500	1,000
Expenses of Returning Officers	59,390	24,000
Debt Charges	3,468,519	2,585,000
Adjustment under Section 12 (4) of Land Act, 1923	5,389	—
Payment to Great Britain for Adjustment of Revenue	1,443,500	—
Total	£6,627,495	£4,472,482

SOME REVENUE FIGURES.

Statement showing details of certain of the items appearing in the Return of Receipts into, and Issues out of, the Exchequer between 1st April, 1923, and 31st March, 1924:—

MISCELLANEOUS—OTHER RECEIPTS.	1923-24. £	1922-23. £
Fee Stamps	73,000	50,000
Conscience Money	377	34
Interest on investment of Exchequer balance	15,615	20,530
Interest on advances from Exchequer	30,518	—
Candidates' Election Deposits forfeited	13,400	750
Savings on Supply Grants, 1922-23	38,821	—
Payments by Local Authorities under Section 14 of Damage to Property (Compensation) Act, 1923	101,720	—
Payments by British Government in respect of its share of Property Losses Compensation disbursements	2,051,014	—
Receipts by Departments not appropriated in aid of Votes	24,427	2,360
Other Receipts	8,402	8,300
Total	2,357,294	81,974

CENTRAL FUND SERVICES.	1923-24. £	1922-23. £
Interest on Exchequer borrowings	100,826	104,050
Expenses in connection with issue of National Loan and Savings Certificates	33,987	—
Payments to Road Fund	523,220	100,000
Payments to Local Taxation Account	996,708	1,025,371
Payments on Account in respect of Revenue attributable to Great Britain collected in Saorstat in 1922-23	1,400,000	1,250,000
Payments of Judicial salaries	58,199	67,593
Payments of Judicial pensions	19,031	16,938
Payments of other salaries and pensions	18,066	1,485
Expenses of Returning Officers in connection with Dail Elections	70,774	38,139
Other payments	5,388	—
Total	3,226,199	2,603,576
SUPPLY SERVICES.	£	£
Army	10,581,214	7,602,400
Property Losses Compensation	4,106,308	989,500
Public Education	3,832,763	3,918,200
Old Age Pensions	3,144,138	3,282,000
Post Office	2,604,001	2,859,837
Superannuation and retired allowances	1,470,627	1,381,910
Land Purchase Annuities	1,215,700	—
Public Works and Buildings	1,206,224	650,554
Civic Guard	1,051,428	425,800
Local Loans	705,000	462,437
Ministry of Local Government	628,844	460,800
Revenue Department	579,250	540,889
Personal Injuries Compensation	435,548	11,720
Land Commission	429,410	163,270
Dublin Metropolitan Police	304,987	311,345
Other Supply Services	3,136,714	4,022,480
Total	35,413,156	26,998,142

STRIKE OF ASYLUM STAFFS.

600 PATIENTS WITHOUT REGULAR KEEPERS.

STRIKERS RECAPTURE ESCAPED LUNATICS.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LETTERKENNY, Tuesday.

The dispute at the Letterkenny Mental Hospital assumed a serious aspect this morning when the staffs ceased work, as they would not continue to work under the reduced wages scheme which came into force to-day. The staffs, who belong to the Irish Mental Hospital Workers' Union, state that the wages paid to members of the union all over Ireland were standardised at a conference in Dublin in 1920, between representatives of the union and of the Irish Mental Hospital Committee, and that any alterations in wages could only be effected by another such conference. The recent appointment of a new head attendant is also a subject of dispute, and the staff refuse to work with him.

So far no one has arrived to take the places of those who have gone on strike. Picketing is going on, and a number of the Civic Guard, under Chief Superintendent S. McManus, are on duty to protect life and property.

The roll call at 7 this morning outside the main gate was answered by the entire male and female staffs.

NON-STRIKERS KIDNAPPED.

Our Londonderry Correspondent, telegraphing last night, says:—Sensational developments are reported to-night from the Tirconaill Mental Hospital. Two of the staff who decided to remain at work were kidnapped, and two other officers, the plumber and the engineer, who remained at work throughout the day, decided to go out with the strikers. This creates a situation of the utmost gravity, and it is anticipated that the Government will have to intervene.

An ultimatum has been issued by the strikers that so long as the head attendant is retained no member of the union will be allowed into the institution to attend to the patients.

Many of the patients are helpless and are in a pitiable condition. There are now only six officers to provide food for the inmates. On the women's side the only woman on duty is the head attendant.

The Civic Guard are on duty in the refractory ward. Several patients escaped during the day. Twelve have been removed by friends, and the Committee request friends and relatives to come and take others.

The assistant storekeeper, who refused to go on strike, was taken away by a party of men and detained overnight. The Civic Guard went in search of him, and he returned to the institution this evening.

The cook at the asylum, who also decided to remain at work, has disappeared, and late to-night there was no information as to her whereabouts.

ESCAPING PATIENTS RE-TAKEN.

When the male and female attendants marched out of the institution in a body, six hundred male and female patients were left in charge of a dozen officers, who are not members of the Mental Hospital Workers' Union.

As soon as the strikers left, a party of Civic Guards took up positions in the buildings and in the grounds, but they will not assume the duties of attendants.

When the strike was threatened, the Committee of Management issued an appeal to demobilised men of the National Army to volunteer for service in the care of the patients, and guaranteeing them permanent employment.

It is learned that although a number of these ex-soldiers had offered their services, none of them had so far arrived at the institution, outside which pickets of the attendants were stationed.

Shortly after the attendants had left a male patient escaped by climbing over the high wall around the hospital. He ran across a field, pursued by strikers, who recaptured him and handed him over at the main entrance to the Civic Guard. Subsequently another male patient was observed climbing the wall. He was seized by a picket of strikers, and after a desperate struggle was returned to the institution.

In anticipation of the staff going out, the Committee of Management, in conjunction with the representative of the Local Government Department, made special arrangements at a private meeting to cope with the situation, especially the big problem of cooking food for the patients, many of whom are invalids.

On Monday the Committee of Management of the Hospital issued a public appeal asking for the co-operation of the members of the Farmers' Union and the Ratepayers' Associations in the county in caring for the sick patients during the strike. In response to an earlier public notice issued by the Committee, the friends and relatives removed some patients to their homes. No lunatics will be admitted to the hospital pending a settlement of the dispute.

TALLEST SKYSCRAPER.

SOLD FOR 11,000,000 DOLLARS.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

The Woolworth building, with its 51 storeys, is the tallest office structure in the world. It was sold to-day for $11,000,000.—(Reuter.)

BOBBED HAIR BANDIT.

POLICE TO SHOOT ON SIGHT.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

The girl bandit with bobbed hair, who, with a male companion, has for some time been terrorising the Brooklyn district of Greater New York, met with resistance to-day in one of the National Biscuit Company's offices.

The cashier, Nathan Mazzo, when ordered to surrender the pay roll, replied, "You're kiddin," and started to attack the male bandit. Mazzo was shot three times in the breast, and the bandits then made off in a high powered motor car wthout any loot.

The police found the car abandoned in a side street, with the chauffeur inside tied up. He said that he did not know the bandits, who had simply helped themselves to his car.

Mazzo is not likely to recover, and the police have been ordered to shoot the two bandits on sight.—(Reuter.)

SOUTH WALES MINERS.

BETTER TERMS OFFERED BY COLLIERY OWNERS.

BY OUR LABOUR CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Tuesday.

Arrangements are being made for the ballot of the miners on the question of accepting or rejecting the revised offer of the colliery owners.

According to a message from Cardiff, the South Wales owners have offered additional concessions if the men accept the national terms. At present if a man works seven shifts he is not paid at the subsistence rate per day, but at the lower minimum. The owners now offer to pay the new subsistence rate of 8s. 0½d. to all men working seven shifts.

This would give underground labourers, for instance, 56s. 5d. for a seven-shift week, an increase of 7s. over the present earnings for the same time. The owners also undertake to remove the existing penalty for absence from work.

The new proposals will be considered at a meeting of the South Wales Federation on Saturday.

OIL MAGNATE PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.

Mr. Sinclair, the oil magnate, pleaded not guilty of contempt of court in connection with the Senate Committee's inquiry into the oil scandal in the District of Columbia Supreme Court to-day, and furnished a bond in $5,000.

WEMBLEY STRIKE.

POLICE PROTECTION TO-DAY.

The 4,000 building operatives who struck at the British Empire Exhibition on Monday toured the grounds yesterday, says our own Correspondent, and induced almost all the other employés to cease work. The electricians were the only body who were all engaged as usual. A conference of all concerned will take place to-day. The National Federation of Building Trades' Operatives is negotiating with the employers for an increase of 2d. an hour. The Wembley strikers have disregarded these negotiations, and have acted without the sanction of their trade unions. They declared yesterday that they would not return to work until the 2d. was granted. A grave position is thus created for the Exhibition, which is due to be opened on April 23.

The Press Association says:—Sir Robert McAlpine, whose firm is carrying out a large portion of the work at the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley, after asking the various contractors yesterday afternoon for statements of any cases of intimidation, or damage done to the works, made a report to Sir Travers Clarke, the chief of the Exhibition, who went to the Home Office, and asked for police protection. It was announced later that 500 police will be on duty to-day to protect all those who are willing to work.

The following statement on the position was issued last night by Messrs. Robert McAlpine and Sons, the contractors:—"The strike is an unauthorised one, and is not recognised by the Building Trade Operatives' Union. The men, although they have held meetings, have made no demands of any kind to us, and no representative of the men has had an interview with any representative of the employers or the exhibition authorities. A number of the men have worked to-day, and it is anticipated that most of the men will return to work to-morrow. All the craftsmen, such as bricklayers, carpenters, plasterers, plumbers, etc., are paid the trade union rate of 1s. 8d. per hour, plus an extra allowance of one shilling a day.

MINISTER OF LABOUR'S STATEMENT.

NO DAMAGE DONE.

On the motion for the adjournment of the House of Commons last night, Sir P. Sassoon called attention to the unwarrantable strike which had broken out among the building operatives at Wembley. He thought it would cause shame among all patriotic people in the British Islands, as it would inevitably delay the opening of the exhibition. It had been undertaken with a levity and a wantonness which was an insult to the whole Empire. Some responsibilty must rest on the Government, because of the hopes they had encouraged among the working classes. They were inviting more strikes, and would only bring on themselves the contempt and disgust of all decent people.

Mr. T. Shaw regretted that the Wembley strike had been made the opportunity for a party attack. The allegation that the Government was responsible for a long series of strikes was a monstrous perversion of the facts. (Labour cheers.) Wembley ought to be dealt with on its own merits. It was not an official strike arranged by or consented to, by the building trade unions. The dispute was, in every sense, a regrettable one, and all the machinery of the Ministry of Labour and all the powers of the Government would be exercised towards a speedy conclusion of the dispute. It ought not to last one minute longer than was necessary. ("Oh!") If hon. members did not wish to inflame passions, they would accept his assurance that the Government felt that it was a dispute that ought to be ended at once. They would not do that by making feelings worse.

Mr. J. H. Thomas said that he desired to contradict Sir P. Sassoon's statement, that the Exhibition would not be opened on the day fixed for it. The hon. member had no authority to make the statement he did. As to the allegation that brickbats had been thrown about and buildings pulled down, he had spoken to the authorities, and they assured him that no damage of any sort or kind was done. A number of young girls were interfered with. The men had no right to do that, and steps would be taken to see that they did not interfere any more. (Cheers.)

Sir P. Lloyd Greame expressed gratification that the Colonial Secretary had supplemented the pontifical lecture of the Minister for Labour.

Mr. Ben Smith said that there was a dictatorship at Wembley that was a disgrace to the Exhibition.

Mr. J. Jones said that workmen had long memories, and they were now getting a bit of their own back. (Opposition "Ohs.")

LORD DUDLEY

ENGAGED TO A WELL-KNOWN ACTRESS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BOULOGNE, Tuesday.

The news of the coming marriage of Lord Dudley with Miss Gertie Millar is the great topic of conversation in Paris Plage. They are both very well known as habitués of the Casino and the Plage. Lord Dudley has a villa known as the Chalet du Bois, in one of the most fashionable thoroughfares of the town, the Avenue du Golf. It is the prettiest and most luxurious in the resort.

A gentleman well acquainted with the British peer and his intended bride to-day said that the marriage will probably take place in about two months' time. The civil authorities at Paris Plage have not yet been officially approached. It appears probable that if the religious ceremony takes place at Le Touquet, a civil ceremony will take place in England.

THE WORLD FLIGHT.

MINOR MISHAP TO VULTURE'S ENGINE.

Reuter's Agency is informed by Messrs. D. Napier and Son that, in response to a cable received from Squadron Leader MacLaren, they had despatched a special messenger with spare parts for the Vickers-Napier Vulture. The messenger flew to Paris yesterday, and is proceeding to Brindisi and Corfu. It seems that the gears between the engine and the propeller have been damaged in some way, probably by the introduction of some foreign body, but by what means is so far a mystery to the makers, who say that they have never experienced a similar accident.

THE FRENCH CHAMBER.

STORMY DISCUSSION ON M. POINCARE'S POLICY.

PARIS, Tuesday.

The French Chamber met at four o'clock this afternoon for the debate on the new Government's policy. Notice has been given of several interpellations. One is to be from the Radical-Socialist leader, Mr. Herriot. It is unlikely that M. Poincaré will reply to-night, in which case the vote of confidence in the Government will be postponed.

This afternoon's proceedings were stormy, the Chamber seeming to be highly nervous, and at one moment the sitting was suspended amid uproar. Nothing occurred, however, in the course of the debate to affect the Government's position, nor was the discussion of international interest. The debate is continuing.—(Reuter.)

STROMBOLI IN ERUPTION.

ROME, Tuesday.

Stromboli to-day showed more than its usual activity. Following a loud explosion a considerable stream of ashes and stone was emitted from the crater, and some damage was caused to the neighbourhood.

There was also a violent tidal wave. Fifteen persons have been slightly injured.—(Reuter.)

The Cunard Company announces the appointment of Mr. G. McLeod Paterson as naval architect to the company, in succession to the late Mr. Leonard Peskett. Born in Cheltenham, Mr. Paterson was prominently identified during the war with the development of aircraft carrying vessels.

FREE STATE'S TRADE.

REMARKABLE FIGURES.

IMPORTS EXCEED EXPORTS.

BUTTER RETURNS.

The outstanding fact disclosed in the Trade and Shipping Statistics of the Free State is that during the month of January the imports exceeded the exports by £1,000,000. The figures were:—

	£
Imports	4,750,469
Exports	3,691,617

The figures were published yesterday by the Ministry of Industry and Commerce in the first of a monthly series, under the directorship of Mr. John Hooper, Department of Statistics, Lower Castle Yard (South), Dublin.

The exports and imports are given under four main heads:—

	Imports. £	Exports. £
Food, drink and tobacco	2,350,900	3,218,828
Raw materials and articles mainly unmanufactured	446,311	207,867
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	1,915,548	158,306
Animals (not in Class I.)	37,710	106,616
	4,750,469	3,691,617

Great Britain's proportion of the above amounts is as follows:—

	Imports. £	Exports. £
Class I.	1,415,540	2,818,388
Class II.	328,661	142,736
Class III.	1,532,412	85,951
Class IV.	32,072	92,728
	3,308,685	3,139,803

The Northern Ireland figures are:—

	Imports. £	Exports. £
Class I.	273,183	384,289
Class II.	28,132	48,359
Class III.	175,593	67,422
Class IV.	5,502	13,863
	482,410	513,943

For other countries the return shows the following result:—

	Imports. £	Exports. £
Class I.	662,177	16,151
Class II.	89,518	16,762
Class III.	207,543	4,933
Class IV.	136	25
	959,374	37,871

Re-exports amounted to £64,791, of which £43,498 were to Great Britain, £20,737 to Northern Ireland and £556 to other countries.

IMPORTS.

Among the chief imports in Class One are:—

WHEAT to the value of £107,760 from the United States, £86,839 from Canada and £33,445 from Great Britain.

MAIZE to the value of £122,151 from Rumania, £50,000 from Argentina, £28,327 from Great Britain, and £10,463 from Northern Ireland.

FLOUR AND MEAL—£153,474 from Great Britain and £32,000 from Northern Ireland, out of a total of £267,422.

FEEDING STUFFS — £101,800 from Great Britain, £27,500 from Northern Ireland and about £50,000 from other countries.

BACON to the value of £140,000 from Great Britain and £9,000 from Northern Ireland.

BISCUITS—£358 worth from Great Britain (who, by the way, imported £8,828 worth from the Free State).

FISH, the bulk of which came from Great Britain, £28,000.

FRUIT AND NUTS included £22,548 worth of apples and £15,729 worth of oranges (mostly consigned via Great Britain).

POTATOES from Northern Ireland amounted to over £9,000, while Great Britain sent £768 worth.

BEER AND ALE—£23,312 from Great Britain and £1,941 from Northern Ireland.

SUGAR—£117,564 via Great Britain, out of a total of £191,000.

TEA—£145,325 (of which £122,000 was received via Great Britain).

WINE—£60,465.

TOBACCO to the total of £167,000, of which £119,000 worth was unmanufactured. Cigars only amounted to £977, but the snuff figure was £1,706.

BUTTER FIGURES.

It is a remarkable fact that imports of butter were considerably in excess of the exports, the figures being:—

	£
Imports	148,638
Exports	57,020

Of the imports £143,241 came from Great Britain, which took only £45,000 worth from the Free State. The figures for cheese were £9,531 imported, £1,009 exported. On the other hand, the exports of eggs were £133,629 (of which £130,000 were in shell), and the imports were £7,153 (of which £5,337 were in shell).

Coal is included under the heading of raw materials and articles mainly manufactured, and the imports during January amounted to £300,000, out of a total of £446,000.

Among the larger items included in the imports under the heading of manufactured articles are:—

	£
General Earthenware	£15,028
Stoves and Grates	11,400
Cinema Films	3,784
Clocks and Watches	5,000
Electrical Goods	23,500
Agricultural Machinery	12,622
Typewriters	2,926
Furniture	23,000
Cotton Goods	144,700
Linen Goods	18,000
Woollen Goods	99,000
Apparel (including hats and boots)	371,000
Newspapers	15,197
Books and Magazines	19,137
Arms and Ammunition	9,000
Fertilisers	55,000
Matches	6,800
Musical Instruments	14,000
"Pipes for Smoking Tobacco"	700
Umbrellas	1,194
Perfumery, Cosmetics, etc.	3,600
Jewellery	1,200

Vehicles to the value of £163,400 were imported. These included £142,000 from Great Britain and £2,700 from Northern Ireland. Touring cars accounted for £72,000 of the total, and agricultural tractors £5,400.

THE EXPORTS.

CATTLE TRADE FIGURES.

The chief exports of the Free State, of course, came under the sub-heading of "Live Cattle, Sheep, and Pigs and Goats." These amounted to £1,900,000, of which £1,736,000 went to Great Britain.

The total of fat cattle exported was 52,346 (£1,109,868 in value), of stores 25,747 (£427,000), of milch cows 1,823 (£37,483), of springers 494 (£8,388), and calves 1,331 (£8,382).

The sheep exported numbered over 34,000 (mostly fat sheep, and including only 35 lambs), with a total value of £103,000; while some 37,000 pigs, valued at over £200,000, were also exported—the bulk going to Great Britain. Sixteen goats, valued at £12, were also sent to Great Britain.

Meat, to the value of £523,575, was sent to Great Britain out of a total export of £612,000. The largest item was for bacon (£271,000). The poultry is valued at £185,000, and fresh pork at £109,000.

Beer, to the value of £356,000, was exported (£295,000 to Great Britain), and spirits to the value of £24,000.

Other food and drink exports include:—

	£
Salmon and Trout	£158
Other fresh Fish	2,300
Shell Fish	3,500
Milk and Cream	12,000
Seaweed Products (edible)	304
Table Waters	449

The wood and timber exports were only £14,000, and hides and skins £37,000. Textile raw materials, however, amounted to £114,000, and textile manufactures £60,000. Vehicles and parts to the value of £20,000 were exported, and blacking and polishes to the value of £1,034.

Apart from Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United States of America did the most trade with this country in January, but, while we imported £302,000 worth of goods, she only took £17,000 of our goods (mostly "wool fleeces greasy" and pickled mackerel). Rumania sent us barley and maize worth £128,000, but took none of our products.

Canada sent us wheat, etc., to the value of £111,000, and imported only £181 worth.

Germany, Holland and Belgium all neared the £70,000 mark in their exports to the Free State. Germany imported from us only a few wool fleeces and other articles to the value of £203; but Holland took £2,260 worth of corn offals, feathers and second-hand jute sacks; and Belgium spent £4,750 in woollen fleeces, chemical manufactures and oils.

The return shows that there are 13,500,000 proof gallons of home-made spirit in bonded store, together with some 57,000 gallons of brandy and 113,000 gallons of rum (both foreign).

MUNICH TREASON TRIAL.

ACCUSED VIRTUALLY ACQUITTED.

LUDENDORFF IN THE LIMELIGHT.

MUNICH, Tuesday.

After five weary weeks, the treason trial comedy has come to an end, and the verdicts are what they were generally expected to be, for in reality they amount to what is practically acquittal for all the accused. Herr Hitler, Dr. Weber, Herr Poehner, and Colonel Kriebel will actually only serve one or two months of their sentence, as the period they have been under arrest counts towards the six months for which the Court ordered them to be confined in a fortress.

General Ludendorff, of course, comes out of the trial well, not even having to pay his share of the costs. The other defendants will not suffer any penalty, as they have been granted conditional release.

The closing scenes of the trial gave General Ludendorff yet another chance to place himself in the limelight, and he took full advantage of this opportunity. As soon as the verdict was announced, he arose and excitedly declared:—"I consider my acquittal, when my colleagues have been convicted, as an insult to the uniform and decorations which I wear."

This remark moved various spectators to applaud the General, whereupon the President of the Court called him to order, saying that he considered his remarks extremely improper.

Ludendorff caused another scene when he was requested by a police official to enter the motor car which was waiting for him in the courtyard, instead of in the street, in order to avoid demonstrations. He became violently excited, obstinately refused to do as he was asked, and demanded to be arrested. Finally he had his way, and entered the car, amid the enthusiastic cheers of the waiting crowd. Hats and handkerchiefs were waved in greeting, and flowers were thrown into the motor car, which drove off to the accompaniment of shouts of "Hoch Ludendorff." The crowd was eventually dispersed by the police, who used their batons in some cases.—(Press Association Foreign Special.)

GERMAN PRESS OPINIONS

CONTRADICTORY VIEWS.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

The comments of the Berlin newspapers on the verdicts in the Munich treason trial vary, with their party standpoint. The Nationalist journals, of course, are overjoyed at the acquittal of General Ludendorff, and consider that the other defendants should also have been acquitted, while the Democratic and Socialist newspapers regard the trial and its result as a mockery of justice and a slur on the Republic.

The *Vossische Zeitung* remarks that Ludendorff and his friends may hoist their black, white and red flags, but the Reich should drape its black, red and gold banner in crepe.

The *Berliner Tageblatt* says that the verdict must fill everyone who has any respect for justice and law with sadness and shame.

Vorwærts calls the trial and verdict a comedy, and says that once again, as after the Kapp *Putsch*, Ludendorff will be able to stalk about as a man against whom nothing has been proved; but he has reason to be ashamed, because he has been acquitted. The sentenced men, says the journal, will be free after a summer holiday, and in the meanwhile they accept bouquets and gifts from their friends, exactly as if they were in the theatre.

The *Lokalanzeiger*, on the other hand, says that Ludendorff's acquittal will be greeted with relief throughout Germany, "for the national honour and dignity demanded the unconditional acquittal of the great military leader, whose one aim is to defend Germany against the attacks of her enemies, and the impossibilities of the humiliating Treaty of Versailles."

The *Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung* also proclaims its relief that Ludendorff, "the victor of the world-war, and a great military leader," has been acquitted, and that Germany will be spared the lamentable spectacle of seeing her greatest soldier sentenced to confinement in a fortress.

The *Deutsche Zeitung* is of the opinion that the verdict clearly shows that the people's judges do not regard Hitler and his colleagues as criminals, but as most faithful friends of the Fatherland, who, from noble motives, acted against the present Constitution.

Germania says that April 1st is a black day for the German people, for it has shown that the authority of the State and the Constitution do not enjoy, in Germany, that protection which is essential for an orderly State, and that there is not too great a danger for those traitors who make an attempt to alter the Constitution by force.—(Reuter.)

FRENCH COMMENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

Commenting on the verdict in the Bavarian treason trial, the *Temps* declares that General Ludendorff was acquitted because "he is the highest personification of the party preaching military *révanche*." "We refrain from comment," adds the *Temps*, "but will simply ask: When will the Inter-Allied Military Control Commission carry out the series of inspections mentioned in the Inter-Allied Note of March 5th?"—(Reuter.)

BANK MESSENGERS WAYLAID.

BANDIT KILLED BY POLICEMAN

MONTREAL, Tuesday.

Two bank messengers were "held up" in the middle of the afternoon in one of the busiest streets of Montreal by eight bandits, who escaped in a motor car with 10,000 dollars, which the messengers were taking to a bank.

One messenger was killed and the other was wounded, while one of the bandits was killed by a policeman.—(Reuter.)

REPARATIONS.

EXPERT COMMITTEE AGREES

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

PARIS, Tuesday.

The report of the Experts' Committee will be completed on Wednesday, it is announced.

The experts have reached an agreement on nearly all the remaining points. No figures mentioned in the report are now contested.

Certain minor affairs dealing chiefly with the application of principle are being decided to-day. The report will be printed by the French Government's official printing establishment, and will then be submitted to the Reparations Commission.

I am authorised to state, despite reports to the contrary, that the experts are entirely in accord, and that they are unanimous in their report.

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

THE WEMBLEY STRIKE.

CLOSE THE GATES.

The bricklayers employed on the Exhibition buildings at Wembley have broken both statute law and trade union law, remarks *The Times*, editorially. They have begun an illegal strike, and have illegally and outrageously driven away all the other workers engaged in the preparation of the Exhibition. The occurrences of yesterday were, in fact, a mere example of mob rule. They were utterly without reason or justification. There is official assurance, of course, that to-day there will be adequate protection for all who return to work, and that a repetition of the intimidation so flagrantly practised yesterday will be impossible. This is the first and most elementary business of Ministers, who will be judged within a few hours by the promptness and completeness with which they carry it out. The measures to be taken must absolutely re-establish the law of the land at Wembley, and fulfil the assurance of the Prime Minister a week ago, that the Government—any Government, all Governments—must give protection to those engaged in legal occupations. But the necessities of the case do not end there. Trade union law must also be vindicated.

The union concerned very properly dissociated itself from the action of its Wembley members. The strikers are represented as acting spontaneously to seize what blackmail they can from the dilemma of the contractors and the Exhibition authorities, who are under promise to complete their work by a given date. Let the gates of the Exhibition be closed against contract-breakers—even though the date of the opening has to be postponed. That, after all, would be a minor misfortune by comparison with the other.

BOLSHEVISTS AT WORK.

PROPAGANDA INSIDE TRADE UNIONS.

The Times Labour Correspondent writes:—The strike at Wembley, like the strike of the shipyard workers at Southampton, illustrates the tactics of the small, but ceaselessly active, band of Communists who are carrying on propaganda inside the trade unions. The typical tactics of the moment are to take advantage of whatever dissatisfaction may be apparent at a given place at a given time, and use it to bring about a clash. It is nothing to the Communists, except an additional source of satisfaction, if by the same blow they break down trade union discipline and strike at the authority of the orthodox trade union leaders.

The mass meeting, influenced by fiery speeches, is their substitute for the machinery of the unions, and mass-picketing is their means of achieving "solidarity." Mass-picketing is intimidation, flagrant and unashamed. It was exemplified at Wembley yesterday at its *maximum*. Gangs of men went about, openly threatening and compelling others to cease work. The circumstances of the origin of the trouble at Southampton and Wembley are significantly similar.

PLANS FOR RED ARMY.

LEADING COMMUNISTS' DREAM.

Telegraphing yesterday from Riga *The Times* Correspondent states:—The military activity which has been noticeable in Soviet Russia of late is the outward sign of the carrying out of long-cherished plans to convert the Soviet's unwieldly and ill-equipped forces into a compact, efficient, mobile fighting machine, with all the youth of Russia as a semi-trained inexhaustible reserve. Last May the Central Control Committee of the Communist Party appointed a Commission to make a thorough investigation into the possibilities of improving the land, sea, and air forces. Later this Commission formed a special sub-Commission to study every aspect of chemical warfare.

The dream of the leading Communists to train and equip the vast masses of human fighting material in Russia, to imbue them with a martial spirit, to convert Russia into a huge arsenal, whence the whole of the capitalist world may be defied, and to make use of every opportunity and every means of planting the Communist flag beyond the present Soviet frontiers, has of late become a real obsession, and is finding frequent expression in speeches and the Press. At the same time the dictators are sending delegations, mostly composed of mere puppets, to entertain foreign Governments with peaceful talk to procure financial assistance and so on.

THE SYMPATHETIC STRIKE.

Mr. Hall Caine, says *The Times*, proposes to introduce a bill next Tuesday to make illegal sympathetic lock-outs and strikes, and on the same day Sir Kingsley Wood will ask the President of the Board of Trade if he can give an estimate of the cost to the nation of the traffic strike.

FREE TRAVEL FOR M.P.'S.

The Times states:—It is expected that the requisition asking the Prime Minister to submit to the free vote of the House a resolution in favour of free railway passes for M.P.'s will be handed to Mr. Macdonald to-day. Nearly 250 signatures have now been obtained.

THE OUTLAWED LANDLORD.

The *Westminster Gazette* says:—Mr. Wheatley's bill to prevent evictions is excellent in intention, but is altogether too rough and ready in method. One of its principal clauses bluntly lays down that no tenant shall be turned out of his house for non-payment of rent if it appears to the Court that the non-payment is due to the tenant's unemployment, unless the landlord can prove that he would suffer greater hardship than the tenant if the latter were left in possession. This clause as it stands threatens to throw upon landlords as a class the burden of housing for nothing a large proportion of the unemployed. If it be a fact that numbers of the unemployed really cannot pay their rents, and are being evicted in consequence, steps must be taken to prevent evictions without unduly penalising the landlords, but Mr. Wheatley's scheme is transparently inequitable.

BRITISH BUDGET WINDFALL.

The *Daily Chronicle*, discussing the Budget windfall, says:—It is, of course, necessary and desirable to pay off debt, but substantial provision for doing so has each year been made under the Budget. The question is not whether the present war-burden and tax-burden generation should pay off its share of debt, but whether through these surpluses it should pay off considerably more than its share, or whether it might do more good to itself and posterity by spending part of them in some other way. By spending part of the surplus we should help to relieve unemployment now, and also make the country better able to pay its taxes and redeem its debt in the future. Now that their capital levy is in cold storage we hope that the Labour Ministers may have the sense to put their debt bogey-mongering into a cold storage also. They could then go ahead with construction policies, upon which Liberals would give real and valuable help.

AUSTRALIAN RADIO STATION.

The High Commissioner for Australia (Sir Joseph Cook) is inviting tenders for the erection of a new radio station at Wave Hill, in the northern territory of Australia. The station is to provide wireless telegraphic communication between Wave Hill and Darwin, a distance of 350 miles, and between Wave Hill and Wyndham, a distance of 300 miles. It is a condition of the tender that the transmitting apparatus shall be capable of change for use as a radiophone transmitter. Tenderers who do not wish to tender for the erection of the plant may quote for its delivery c.i.f. Australia, in which case it will be erected by the Government engineers.

OCCUPATION OF LEINSTER HOUSE.

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY'S PROTEST.

PLAIN SPEAKING TO THE GOVERNMENT.

Lord Rathdonnell, President, presided yesterday at a special general meeting of the Royal Dublin Society in the Supper Room of the Mansion House, Dublin, for the purpose of protesting against the serious changes by which the Society is now threatened through the occupation of Leinster House by the Oireachtas. There was a large attendance.

Mr. A. E. Moran, Registrar, said that he had received several letters of apology for non-attendance. These included one from Dr. Lombard Murphy protesting against the proposal to evict the Society from Leinster House, a procedure that would be detrimental to the interests of the Society.

Lord Rathdonnell said that they had met to consider the present position, by which they had been threatened with the loss of their old home. This had caused the Council grave concern, and they naturally desired to consult the members so as to find out the best manner in which the various activities for which the Society was originally incorporated, 200 years ago, could be carried on. The Council felt that it would be fatal to the Society to be split up. It should remain one whole, living under one roof. They admitted that the Free State Government must have adequate accommodation, and it was their duty as law-abiding citizens to give all the assistance possible. This, the Council maintained, they had done; but they had reached the limit, and it was manifest that they could not carry on their various and important activities as they had done at Leinster House. They were endeavouring to transact the business of the whole Society in small temporary offices, quite inadequate for the accommodation of the staff.

Take, for instance, the agricultural section. It had just gone through a very important show and sale of bulls, with all the correspondence and work which that entailed. Arrangements were now being made for a still more important show in May, when there would be an exhibition of live stock and machinery in motion. After this would come the preparation in connection with their Horse Show. This would entail an enormous amount of work, keeping many hands and brains busy for months.

The members of the Society felt that they had no use of their own home. They felt the loss of their theatre, where lectures and musical recitals were given. Their being deprived of these things had already resulted in a considerable loss of membership. Their loss would prevent them from doing as much for the country in the future as they had done in the past. They were also suffering from a loss of the *prestige* which they had enjoyed for many years. If, however, it was thought necessary to deprive them still further of their home, it would be a grievous wrong to do so without giving them an equivalent in some form to continue their works elsewhere. This could not be done by disintegration, but by closer intercourse, if possible, in one common home.

"THE LIMIT REACHED."

Professor John Joly, Vice-President, said that after the establishment of the Free State Parliament they were approached with a request that they would give up certain accommodation in Leinster House. They cheerfully acquiesced. Subsequently a second application was made to them, and on that occasion they felt that they would be placed in a position of considerable difficulty. President Cosgrave received a deputation from them and sympathised with their difficulties. They felt, however, that they had reached the limit. In order to carry on the Society's functions they had to hire offices in Molesworth street. If the report of the Oireachtas Committee was carried into effect the Royal Dublin Society would be turned out of their own old home, where they had been for more than 100 years, and would have to shift as well as they could.

Of course, as loyal citizens they felt obliged to make some sacrifices, but they felt that they could not endanger the future existence of the Royal Dublin Society. The Society's position was unique. It was founded to promote improvements of every kind in Ireland, and it had held to its original definition for nearly 200 years. The objects of the Royal Dublin Society were carried on by three different Committees, one representing agriculture, another science, and the third arts industries. These Committees were represented on the Council, as a central body, and the secret of their success was their unity. They had always worked together, single-heartedly, for the good of Ireland, with no other object in view. Many of them had given some of the best years of their lives to the work of that Society, because they thought it was well-spent time.

If they were deprived of their old historic home, and had to carry on their various functions scattered about Dublin, the danger of disruption must easily arise. After being more than thirty years a member of the Council he believed that if they were severed from their old home, the unity of the Royal Dublin Society would soon perish. The late Lord Ardilaun had written an adequate history of the Society, which he hoped their legislators would read. There they would find that the Society had had a long struggle with a somewhat niggardly Treasury, in order to obtain funds and endowments requisite for their work. Then there was a struggle to rid themselves from departmental control. As everybody knew, they came out of this successfully.

In conclusion, he said that if the policy of the Oireachtas Housing Committee were carried into effect, one more chapter would be sufficient to finish their great record. It would be sad if that chapter contained the statement that the future of that Society, which had succeeded in its work under an English Government, when power passed into the hands of their fellow-countrymen had been destroyed.

Mr. B. H. Barton, as one of the deputation that waited on President Cosgrave, said that they put their case fairly, but firmly, and it had been well established. For ten years, he said, they had had immense difficulties to face and overcome. First, the military authorities took possession of their premises at Ballsbridge, and they had to carry on as best they could. Then came the invasion of Leinster House, as a result of which they were left with a skeleton of their accommodation. They recognised the Government's difficulty, and submitted to inconvenience, but the limit of endurance had been reached.

SECURITY WANTED.

What they wanted now was a feeling of security and finality. The report dealt with things of a "temporary" character. "Temporay" was a very elusive term, and would mean, in this case, years, not months. If they once turned their backs on Leinster House he would be a very old man before they returned.

If the Society was to be run properly, its work should be centralised, as had been done during the past few years. If the different sections were split up and located in different places it would be against the well-being of

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the Society. The Society could not carry on its work with temporary accommodation.

There was a much larger question at issue than the social amenities of Leinster House. What were they to do with the 7,000 volumes in their library? Where were they to hold their scientific lectures and musical recitals?

It was unfair that the whole work of the Society should be interfered with through the Society's being deprived of its premises. No doubt, the housing of the Legislature was a necessity, but he claimed that the Royal Dublin Society was also a national necessity. It was a great asset to the country, and possessed a record which they should do their best to maintain.

SOCIAL AMENITIES.

Professor W. E. Adeney said that the Joint Committee's report referred to the social amenities of the members of the Society, but he claimed that they had never enjoyed social amenities from the point of view in which the members of the Committee had drawn up their report. They had nothing like a club at Leinster House; they had not even a smoking-room, or a separate room for ladies. They had their library, their reading rooms, and their lecture theatre, which were all concerned with the higher education of their members; yet it was stated that the so-called social amenities of the Society could be indulged elsewhere.

To show the enormous amount of voluntary effort engaged in by members of the Society, Dr. Adeney reminded the meeting that members of the committees and sub-committees at work in the various branches of the Society totalled 333 people, giving their services voluntarily to this great Society's work throughout the country. They had an excellent staff, everyone an expert, down to the typewriters, but how could that staff divide themselves among committees comprising a number of members exceeding over three hundred, unless the work of administration were centralised in one house?

The Chairman said that they had heard the opinions of the Council on this matter, and would now like to hear the opinions of members.

EXPRESSION OF ALARM.

Mr. J. W. Drury moved:—

"We, the members of the Royal Dublin Society, view with alarm the proposal of the Housing of the Oireachtas Committee to take the remaining rooms of Leinster House from the Society. We consider that if this policy, and the consequent decentralisation of our activities, is carried into effect our Society, which depends for its utility on the combined voluntary efforts of men pursuing different professions and avocations, must be most gravely hampered in its future, and have even its very existence imperilled."

He said that two years ago the Government were housed in Merrion street. They could not go into the streets, for fear of assassination, and there was no place for them in which matters of government could be discussed. In these circumstances the head of the Government of that time approached the heads of the Society, and asked for leave to use the Theatre of the Society for their deliberations. The Council of the Royal Dublin Society, as patriotic Irishmen, fell in with the desire of the Government, and gave leave for the temporary use of the Theatre. It would be remembered that the Government at that time undertook that within eight months this temporary use would be discontinued. He did not think that the Government was to blame in any way, but ever since further encroachments had been made, with the consent of the Council and the acquiescence of the members.

This Joint Committee, however, brought them on to a different plane altogether. They were now taking their property against their will. It was to be regretted that the Committee, before penning their report, had not studied the Ten Commandments. It was suggested that this proposal was the act of the Government. It was no such thing. It was the act of this Committee; the recommendation was theirs. He believed that the deputies and Senators would repudiate the whole thing.

OTHER WAYS.

There were other ways of solving the question The Royal Dublin Society had shown themselves loyal supporters of the Government all through. This matter had cost them no less than £2,000, and they had lost 600 members. The Society had subscribed £15,000 to the National Loan. The Society had not only carried out its own work, but had supported the Government of the day; and he did not believe that the gentlemen who composed these two bodies would seize the Society's premises and turn them into the street. They did not want the Government to give up their premises to-morrow, but wanted them to look about and get other premises. This great meeting represented a membership of 4,000 people all over Ireland, and they would insist on it.

Mr. D. M. Steen seconded the motion. He pointed out how Dublin itself benefited by the existence of the Society. Among the things that kept them in Dublin were the many advantages that the Society opened to them. In the whole world, he said, no Society could be found which offered so many advantages, and that was why they lived in Dublin. The report of this Committee was an irresponsible report. The Committee thought their activities could be centred in a couple of rooms, while the Society's library alone would fill the Kildare street Club. The members of the Dail, who were responsible to the electors, would hardly be guilty of carrying through an Act of Parliament which would have the effect of destroying that old Society.

Mr. E. A. Andrews, D.L., congratulated the Council on having got together such a large and representative meeting. He said that they were living in strange times and had to look to the future. The Free State Government was, no doubt, an asset to the country; but he questioned if it was as great an asset to the whole of Ireland as the Royal Dublin Society was, and had been in the past. He believed that when the Government saw the great protest that would come from that meeting they would hesitate to adopt the Committee's proposal. The future of the Society would be greater than its past if they all stood together and insisted on their rights.

Mr. Bantry Smith said that the Society had bought Leinster House for £20,000 from the Duke of Leinster; they had bought it with hard cash out of the savings they had made from the subscriptions of the members. The British Government, which was always autocratic, had stepped in and had said that they must only hold Leinster House in trust for the public, and had given them £10,000 and certain privileges. The present Government was responsible for the acts of its predecessors, and he could not imagine that it would remove the Society from Leinster House.

Mr. J. S. Kinnear said that the Society had extended the right hand of good-fellowship to the new Government. He thought that the Government should look round and see what were the principal societies and institutions deserving of support. He thought that meeting should send to every voter and tell their members, North and South, they should vote against anything which would pull down the Royal Dublin Society.

Mr. William Ireland held that the resolution was not strong enough. He hoped that every person in the country woud appeal to the Government, for their own sakes and for the sake of the country, to give up these premises

LEGAL OPINION SUGGESTED.

Mr. R. W. Carruthers asked whether the Council would take legal opinion on the Act of 1877 as to their rights.

Mr. Bohane said that for over 200 years this Society had worked in the interests of Ireland amid the many vicissitudes of difficult times. When it had to face the probability of disintegration by the action of the British Government the Council of that day determined that they would not take legal opinion. The present Council were following in the footsteps of their predecessors. Unless the members ruled otherwise, the Council were determined to fight to the utmost of their power to further the interests of that fine old Society. They wanted something different from legal aid, and that was the good-will of every Irishman and Irishwoman.

Mr. Lane Joynt said that if the Government insisted on keeping their premises, it would be better for the Society to dissolve. He suggested an amendment to the motion, to the effect that the Society should take the necessary legal steps to assert their rights, or the necessary steps to dissolve the Society.

The amendment was not moved.

The resolution was then put to the meeting, and carried unanimously.

Sir Simon Maddock moved a vote of thanks to the Lord Mayor. He said that it was upwards of 150 years since the Society was obliged to go outside its own premises to hold a general meeting of its members. In 1767 the Society met in the old Parliament House while their Grafton street premises were erected. It was, he said, a perfect scandal that for two years the Government had dilly-dallied, and now did not know how long the temporary occupation would be.

Major Arthur Whewell seconded, and

The motion was adopted.

MILITARY CONTROL.

GERMANY'S TRUST IN THE LEAGUE.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

It is announced here that Herr von Hoesch, German Ambassador in Paris, has handed to the Conference of Ambassadors in Paris a Note in reply to the last Note of the Ambassadors on the subject of military control in Germany.

In its reply the German Government expresses its satisfaction at the conciliatory spirit of the Ambassadors' Note and at the willingness of the Allied Governments to confine the Control Commission's functions to the five points notified in the collective Note of September 29th, 1922, and to supersede the present control organisation by another one so soon as these five points have been complied with to a certain degree.

The Note develops a counter-proposal to entrust the execution of this restricted control at once to another body, whose activities would last either until the five points had been complied with or for a given period.

The Note alludes to a "British Government declaration in the House of Commons on May 7th, 1923, regarding the completely satisfactory execution of Germany's disarmament obligations," and goes on to remark that it would be comprehensible if the Allied Governments were desirous of ascertaining whether the state of German armaments is today still the same as it was in the summer of 1922 or the spring of 1923 in respect of the execution of disarmament.

The German Government observes, however, that it would be an infringement of the rights of the League of Nations should the initiation of any inquiry that might appear to be necessary not be left to the League under Article 213 of the Versailles Treaty. The German Government, therefore, makes the counter proposal that the Allied Powers should resort to the Council of the League of Nations in order to bring about the investigation into German armaments which they consider requisite. The German Government further recommends to the consideration of the Ambassadors' Conference a suggestion that the already mentioned organisation for the carrying out of the five points should be subordinated to the Council of the League.

The League of Nations, the German Government estimates, would be able to constitute any investigatory commission sent to Germany in such a manner that it would have the appearance by the importance and mentality of its members of acting, not in the interests of individual Powers, but in the interests of all Europe. It would also be possible by the simultaneous initiation of a real and universal disarmament movement to convince the public at large that any investigations considered to be necessary are meant to promote, "not the permanent maintenance of the present disparity between German armaments and those of her neighbours, but the honest and definite pacification of Europe."—(Reuter.)

RUMANIA'S DEBTS.

ITALY TO DISTRAIN SHIPS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BUCHAREST, Tuesday.

The arrival of the Italian cruisers, Brindisi and Sammarco, and four Italian destroyers off Constanza is causing great excitement.

It is reported that they are under orders from the Italian Government to seize a number of Rumanian ships, particularly the line of Constanza-Constantinople mail steamers, in order to force the Rumanian Government to pay eight millions gold lire which are owing to Italian creditors. All important steamers now at Constanza are being detained in the port, fearing seizure, and those in the Black Sea have received a warning by wireless to give the Italian Fleet a wide detour

The Italian commercial world is so angry with the bad faith of the Rumanian Government and private Rumanian creditors, who, it is said, influenced the Government to grant them a *moratorium* against foreign creditors, that Signor Mussolini recently notified the Rumanian Royal Family to cancel their visit to Rome this spring.

Many Italian business houses have issued notices saying: "No Rumanian merchants admitted here."

LUXOR TOMB DISPUTE.

NO AFFRONT TO AMERICAN MINISTER.

CAIRO, Tuesday.

Dr. Howell, the American Minister in Cairo, in an interview with Reuter's Correspondent to-day, said—"I am advised of a despatch sent to the United States by a correspondent to the effect that the American Minister had sustained an affront from the Egyptian Government while he was engaged in an effort to settle the dispute about the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen, and that unless the United States Government is ready to accept the affront from the Egyptian Government the latter will greatly regret that it was drawn into this controversy."

"I wish to say," said the American Minister, "that the United States Government is in nowise embroiled in a dispute with the Egyptian Government either in respect to the tomb dispute or any other matter, and that there has been no affront in the case. I have used my good offices in an unofficial way to assist Professor Breasted and other parties interested in science here in an endeavour to bring about an amicable settlement of the dispute, and if some of those interested in the settlement of this controversy had been more discreet in their language and in their attitude towards the Egyptian Government the matter would have been rendered much less arduous for those of us who are lending our best efforts to effect a compromise. I wish this time to express appreciation of the courteous treatment accorded me by the Egyptian Government, an expression in which, I am sure, Professor Breasted heartily concurs."—(Press Association Foreign Special.)

IMPERIAL PREFERENCE.

DEBATE IN AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENT.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The proceedings in the Federal House of Representatives were continued in regard to the conclusions of the Imperial Conference. The amendment proposed by Mr. Charlton, the Labour leader, to Mr. Bruce's resolutions approving of those conclusions, was negatived by thirty-six votes to nineteen. Mr. Charlton's amendment declared that the House approved the British Government's foreign policy, which aimed at the peace of the world. Mr. Bruce's own resolutions were carried, after Mr. Bruce had trenchantly criticised the failure of the Labour Party to participate in the debate, especially in regard to preference. It was vital for Australia, declared the Prime Minister, that she should get preference.—(Reuter.)

MEXICAN LEADER IN U.S.

TEXAS, Tuesday.

Senor de la Huerta, the Mexican revolutionary leader, has landed at Key West, Florida, and has gone into the interior of the United States, according to the advices received by the Mexican Consul-General here.—(Reuter.)

FRENCH AND BELGIAN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

The settlements of the short interest in Exchange which fell due to-day has carried the French franc to 5.64, a new high record for the year. The Belgian franc also reached a new high record at 4.71 on reports of a pending credit to Belgium similar to that granted to the Bank of France.—(Reuter.)

INDIAN TARIFF EXEMPTIONS.

DELHI, Tuesday.

It is officially notified here to-day that exemptions from Customs duty of Government stores include aeroplane parts and engines, certain arms and ammunition and military stores, currency notes and stamps.—(Reuter.)

BUILDING TRADE DEPRESSION.

HOUSING SHORTAGE AND ITS CAUSES.

The continuance of the Rent Restriction Act was contributing, more than any other factor, to check the building of houses. If the ordinary man was to invest again as in pre-war days in house property housing would have to be restored to its former position as an investment, freed from State interference and treated similarly to all other investments.

So declared Mr. John Good, T.D., lecturing at a meeting of the Architectural Association of Ireland in Dublin last night. Two other leading causes of the shortage in houses were the high cost of building and the lack of skilled labour. In the building of an ordinary house 50 per cent. of the cost went in wages and 50 per cent. went for material.

Taking bricklayers as an example of the skilled trades, he said that in 1914 their wages per hour were:—In Dublin, 9d.; in London, 11½d.; in Glasgow, 10½d.; in Belfast, 9d. In 1924 they were 1s. 10½d., 1s. 8d., 1s. 7½d. and 1s. 7d. for the same cities in the order named, showing the percentage of increase as 150, 73, 85 and 111 respectively. Labourers' wages in the same towns were—In 1914, 5d., 8d., 7½d. and 4½d., and in 1924, 1s. 4d., 1s. 3d., 1s. 2½d. and 1s., the percentage increases being 220, 87.5, 96.6 and 166.6. The average increases were 135, 80.6, 91.1 and 138.8.

While the average increases granted in Great Britain approximated to the increase in the cost of living, the average increase in wages in Dublin was approximately 100 per cent. over and above the increase in the cost of living. The rates of wages in Dublin, taking the exchange into consideration, were the highest paid in the building industry in Europe to-day. While that continued only fools would build houses.

COST OF MATERIAL.

The percentage increase in the cost of material in Dublin in 1924, as against 1914, Mr. Good gave as follows:—Timber, 105.2; cement, 60.6; bricks, 102.1; sand, 87.5, and metal castings, 100. The average increase was 91.1 per cent.

In brick-making labour accounted for over 42 per cent. of production cost. The rates of wages now paid to labour in the Dublin brick-making industry were 170.6 per cent. over those paid in 1914. The net result of the increased cost of labour and materials was that a house costing £400 in pre-war days in Dublin would cost £952 in 1924.

Output was still below the pre-war standard, notwithstanding increased wages, and there was room for considerable improvement amongst all classes of workmen. The compulsion of employers by trade unions to pay the workmen who wheeled one barrow load precisely the same wages as the man who wheeled two in the same time was the greatest blot on their industrial system to-day. The system of paying all alike was demoralising. There should be in every trade an agreed minimum wage, and those who could earn and wanted to earn more should be encouraged to do so by an additional payment for all work in excess of a settled standard.

Labour leaders in Dublin were constantly reminding employers that they should get value for their money. These leaders should, therefore, welcome any scheme that would guarantee a fair day's work for a fair day's pay.

SKILLED LABOUR SHORTAGE.

Dealing with the shortage of skilled labour, Mr. Good said it seemed almost paradoxical that with unemployment so widespread there was an industry, the building industry, that could absorb thousands of unemployed men if they only had the requisite training. The shortage of skilled labour was proving one of the most difficult obstacles in the way of housing schemes in Great Britain, and the shortage was particularly acute in the bricklaying and plastering trades. The Irish building industry was similarly handicapped. In Belfast progress with the housing schemes had been greatly impeded by the shortage of bricklayers, and in many schemes a change had to be made from brickwork to concrete in consequence. In Dublin, owing to the slackness of trade, the shortage had not been felt to any great extent.

The urgent need for apprentices lay at the root of the shortage of skilled craftsmen. The number of general labourers in the City of Dublin had grown from 14,657 in 1901 to 17,223 in 1911, while the numbers of skilled tradesmen had fallen considerably during the same period. This was one of the national problems that must be faced in the near future.

A vote of thanks was conveyed to Mr. Good by Mr. T. J. Byrne, who presided at the meeting.

LONDON'S WATER "ZOO"

VISITED BY THE KING AND QUEEN.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Tuesday.

"Sandy," the London "Zoo's" young orang utan in the outdoor cage of the monkey house, had the honour of a visit from the King and Queen to-day. Their Majesties really visited the "Zoo" to see the marvels of the new aquarium which is to be opened on Monday.

On the way out they stopped in front of "Sandy's" cage. "Sandy," hanging from the topmost bars of his prehensile toes, was not in the least put about. He returned the Royal interest with the melancholy resignation of his kind, then relented and stretched out a huge hairy paw.

In the aquarium the Royal party saw the thousands of queer fish which inhabit the fifty tanks. They range in size from half an inch to six feet. The Queen was particularly interested in the octopus, who was prodded into a state of liveliness in order that Her Majesty might see his tentacles.

Altogether the King and Queen spent about an hour in the aquarium. They were received at the main entrance by the Duke and Duchess of Bedford and Dr. Chalmers Mitchell. Others in the party were Lord Grey of Falloden, Lord Queensborough and the Earl of Onslow.

"Their Majesties were highly delighted with their visit," Dr. Chalmers Mitchell said afterwards, "and they expressed the opinion that it was the most wonderful show in London."

The aquarium has cost £54,000 to build, and it will cost £6,000 a year to run it.

SNOW DAMAGE IN PETROGRAD.

RIGA, Tuesday.

According to official news received here from Petrograd, the present rapid thaw is having serious consequences. The authorities are belatedly taking special measures to clear away the snow, but it is not likely that the flooding of the railway stations can be prevented. The roofs of houses have begun to collapse owing to the weight of the uncleared snow, thirteen cases being reported in one day, including the Children's Home in Zuamenskaya street. The roof of the Contemporary Theatre collapsed on to the stage. The roof of the Summer Theatre has also partly collapsed. There is no mention of casualties.—(Reuter.)

EMPIRE'S MOST NORTHERLY WHEAT FIELD.

DAWSON CITY, YUKON, Monday.

Bread from home-grown wheat is now selling in all the local restaurants. The latitude of Dawson City is 65 degrees north, and, therefore, it claims to be the Empire's most northerly wheat field. The wheat which is grown on the Government experimental farm here readily sells at ten dollars a cwt., and thirty bushels are produced to the acre.—(Reuter.)

SCENE IN BENGAL LEGISLATURE.

CALCUTTA, Tuesday.

A report that Lord Lytton, the Governor of Bengal, summoned yesterday a conference of Constitutionalist members of the Legislature at Government House to explain constitutional practice, caused a scene in the Legislature yesterday. The Swarajists described the Government's action as unconstitutional, and maintained that it influenced to-day's vote on the Budget. These statements gave rise to loud protests, whereupon the Swarajists and Nationalists left the House. The remaining clauses of the Budget were passed without opposition.—(Reuter.)

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

TOWNSHIPS AMALGAMATION BILL.—Kingstown Urban District Council last night decided to promote a bill to form into a borough the three urban districts of Kingstown, Blackrock, and Dalkey; to consolidate and improve the remedies for the collection of the rates; to provide pensions and sick pay for workmen and others; and to take over the rights and property of the Blackrock and Kingstown Main Drainage Board. The Chairman remarked that if any district stood to gain in the matter of amalgamation it was Dalkey, and he hoped that they would see the wisdom of coming in. Mr. Good hoped that before the bill was finally passed Rathdown No. 1 District would be given the option of amalgamating.

KINGSTOWN ELECTRICITY SCHEME.—Kingstown Urban District Council last night accepted tenders from Irish firms for switch gear, transformers, and overhead wiring in connection with the electricity supply scheme. The underground cables contract was awarded to a London company. An engineer and manager of the undertaking is to be appointed at a salary of £350 a year.

INJURED BY MOTOR CYCLE.—In the Sheriff's Court yesterday it was announced that the action of Angela Hanrahan, Leeson Park Villas, Ranelagh, against Nathan Lepler, Jervis street, for damages in respect of the alleged negligence of the defendant in driving a motor cycle, by which the plaintiff was knocked down and injured, had been settled by a payment to the plaintiff of £260 and costs.

EARLY MORNING DRINKING. — Peter Quigley, publican, 159 Thomas street, was fined 20s. in the Police Court yesterday for a breach of the Licensing laws. Michael Murphy, 19 New Bride street, Edward Murphy, 143 Thomas street; and Thomas J. Nolan, 127 Thomas street, were fined 4s. each for being on the premises at 5.40 a.m. on March 7. The publican's explanation was that Michael Murphy was going away to Canada, and that he (Quigley) asked the men in for a drink.

PROTECTION VERSUS FREE TRADE.—At the Mansion House to-night there will be a debate, under the auspices of the Railway Clerks' Association (Dublin Branch) on the subject of "Protection versus Free Trade." The speakers will include Professor Oldham, Messrs. T. Johnson, Sean Milroy, William Sears, W. Davin, and Thomas O'Donnell.

LABOURERS FOR BRITAIN. — Small parties of agricultural labourers are leaving the Free State daily for spring work on farms in Great Britain. There are fewer migratory labourers now, however, than was the case during the war years.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.—The Criminal Commission will be opened by Mr. Justice Samuels in Green street Courthouse to-day. The calendar is comparatively light, five cases being listed in the County and ten in the City of Dublin.

FLORAL FETE.—A floral fete in aid of the funds of the Abbey street, Dublin, Methodist Church, will be held to-day and to-morrow, opening at 3.30. There will be stalls and amusements.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

DEPARTURES:—Capt. A. B. Douglas, Capt. C. W. Jacob, G. McVitty, P. J. Colgan, E. P. Garde, R. Barry, R. S. Kearon, J. D. Kidd, M. M. McGiven, F. Barrett, W. E. Hewat, Miss E. Gilbert, Miss Duggan, Miss M. Keenan, John Banks, J. Crean, A. D. Devoto.

CONNAUGHT.

UNION CONTRACTS. — Mayo County Board of Health has accepted tenders for beef and mutton at 7d. a pound; bread, 7½d. for the four pounds loaf; country butter, 1s. 2d. a pound; eggs, 1s. 2d. a dozen, and milk, 1s. 4d. a gallon.

LEINSTER.

DUNDALK HEARS AMERICA. — Mr. Thomas Williamson, Dundalk, writes that between 12.15 and 3.45 last Sunday morning he listened-in to the wireless station at Springfield, Massachusetts. A musical programme by Mr. W. P. Hughes (tenor); selections on the harp by Madam Vandenberg, vocal duets and a piano solo were picked up. Mr. Williamson uses a three-valve set, with a two-valve amplifier and loud speaker.

BRAY WHITE CITY.—At a meeting of the Bray Urban Council last night, in connection with the proposed "White City" at Bray Head, it was mentioned that Mr. Patrick Collins had stated that it would be necessary to commence the erection of plant on the Head before the winter starts. Mr. Collins wanted a definite answer as to whether Sunday opening would be allowed or not. It was decided to ask Mr. Collins to name a definite date for commencing the work if Sunday opening was permitted.

CABINTEELY MOTOR CAR ACCIDENT.—Informations were refused at a Court in Shankill, Co. Dublin, yesterday, when Albert Horton, College Green, Dublin, was charged with having caused the death of Mrs. Agnes Murphy, of Cabinteely, by knocking her down on March 23 when driving a motor car through the village. Evidence was given that Mr. Horton was driving at between three and four miles an hour. He sounded his horn and did everything possible to avoid the accident.

RAILWAY VALUATION REDUCED.—Wicklow County Council is to appeal against a reduction of 20 to 25 per cent. in the valuation of the Dublin and South Eastern Railway property in the Rathdown area.

MUNSTER.

LIMERICK RATES INCREASED.—The Estimates Committee of Limerick Corporation has recommended a total rate for the coming year of 24s. in the £, compared with 18s. 7d. for the current year. The principle cause of the increase is the demand of the City Home and Hospital.

ULSTER.

ROSAPENNA HOTEL.—It is announced that Rosapenna Hotel, Carrigart, County Donegal, is to be reopened shortly for the season. Rosapenna was formerly a private residence, and is now a modern hotel, complete with every comfort. There is good sea bathing at Carrigart, fishing, shooting, and a private golf links.

PEACEFUL DONEGAL.—Judge Cook at Letterkenny, Co. Donegal, Quarter Sessions, in his address to the Grand Jury, congratulated it on the peaceful state of the county. Although there were 19 cases to go before the jury, none of them was of a grave character.

ALLEGED INFANTICIDE.—No bill was put before the Grand Jury at Letterkenny in the case in which Catherine Callaghan, of Mullagheap, Kilmacrinan, has been committed for trial on a charge of murdering her child by throwing it out of a railway carriage window, and the prisoner was sent back to prison.

100,000 MARKS NOTE.—Charles Ferry, Falcarragh, was charged at Letterkenny with obtaining 20s. in exchange for a German one hundred thousand marks note. For the defence it was urged that Ferry was not mentally responsible. He was allowed out under the First Offenders Act.

The steamer Redbreast, which arrived at the South Wall, Dublin, yesterday, from London, is the vessel which was sunk in Cork Harbour some time ago, and after lying at the bottom of the river for some weeks, was salved.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

BELFAST SHIPBUILDING.—During the quarter ended March 31 Belfast shipbuilders launched four steamers of 47,500 tons, as against four of 54,000 tons in the corresponding period of last year. Of these the largest was the Atlantic transport liner Minnetonka, 21,700 tons, the trials of which will take place in three weeks' time. Work on the stocks is still scarce, only eight berths out of 27 being filled, and one of these will be cleared by the launch of a cargo vessel for the Court Line in a few days.

COW TESTING IN TYRONE.—It was stated at a meeting of the Lackpatrick, Co. Tyrone, Cow Testing Association, that the best cow in the district yielded 13,926 pounds of milk, with an average butter fat test of 3.56. The yield of butter fat was 494.58 pounds, the value of which, at 2s. a pound, would be £49 8s. 9d. The value of separated milk, at an average of 2d. a gallon, would be £9 5s. 8d., or a total return of £58 14s. 5d. In the case of the worst cow, the yield was 1,204 pounds of milk, and the average butter fat 3.12. The yield of butter fat was 32.61 pounds, and the value £3 4s. 9d. The value of the separated milk was £1 9s. 4d., or a total return of £4 14s. 1d.

RATES.—Ballymena Urban rates have been fixed at 10s. 6d. in the £, a reduction of 3s. 1d. Provision is made for the erection of 50 workmen's dwellings and for part of the cost of building a new town hall. Holywood's rates have been struck at 8s. 6d., a reduction of 1s. 6d. Dungannon rates will be 10s. 10d., an increase of 1s., and Armagh City 10s.

CLERICAL APPOINTMENT.—The Rev. E. McGirven, Adm., Lurgan, has been appointed parish priest of Upper Dromgooland, in succession to the late Canon Quail. Father McGirven's first curacy was in Newry, after which he ministered in Rostrevor and Hilltown, before being appointed to Lurgan.

CHECK TO "PROFITEERING" WANTED.—Armagh Agricultural Committee has passed the following resolution:—"That this Committee notes with satisfaction that a demand is arising all over the kingdom for the passing of legislation to limit the exorbitant profits of traders coming between the producers and the consumers, resulting in the one being impoverished and the other victimised, and we ask our Government not to be behind hand in dealing with this most important matter."

SHIPYARD STRIKE SETTLED.—The 80 rivetters and heater boys employed in the Londonderry Shipyard, who went on strike over the employment of Belfast labour at the yard, resumed work yesterday morning, a settlement of the dispute having been made.

THE LATE REV. J. M. GUY.—On Sunday morning at Ballindrait, Co. Tyrone, Presbyterian Church, a service was held to the memory of the late Rev. J. McFarlane Guy, who was minister of the church for fifty years. A memorial table is to be placed in the church.

During consideration of the minutes of the Police Committee at a meeting of the Belfast Corporation yesterday, a member urged that a driver's licence should not be issued to anybody who was not a teetotaller.

FOUND DROWNED.

ECCENTRIC MONAGHAN WOMAN'S DEATH.

A verdict of death by drowning was returned at an inquest yesterday at Coroughan, near Monaghan, on Catherine McCabe, 35, whose body was recovered from Shannagh Lake. The deceased, a single woman, of eccentric habits, had been missing for over a month.

The police evidence disclosed that for some time prior to her disappearance McCabe had been under observation, as it was becoming evident from her demeanour that she should be put under restraint.

POSITION OF EX-R.I.C. PENSIONERS.

Sir Malcolm MacNaughten, in the House of Commons yesterday, asked the Chancellor of the Exchequer whether ex-Royal Irish Constabulary pensioners would be included within the scope of the Pre-War Pensioners' Bill, which the Government intended to introduce immediately after Easter.

Mr. Snowden—I fear that I cannot undertake to announce the proposals of the Government in detail before the introduction of the Bill.

Sir Malcolm MacNaughten asked if the Chancellor of the Exchequer was not aware that the men were suffering from great hardship.

Mr. Snowden—The Government are extremely anxious to get this Bill forward, but it appears to me quite impossible to find time before Easter.

Mr. Ian Macpherson—Will the Chancellor of the Exchequer consider the inclusion of the Irish Constabulary?

Mr. Snowden—I cannot answer in detail before the introduction of the Bill.

TURKS MAY CLOSE CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
CONSTANTINOPLE, Tuesday.

The Committee of Public Instruction of Angora has again notified foreign (Christian) schools throughout Turkey that they must modify their course of instruction to comply with the principles of a lay and social Republic.

Unless the schools make these changes, the warning reads, they will be permanently closed.

The Y.M.C.A. schools and "huts" throughout the Constantinople district have been closed by order of the Government, it being charged that they spread "Protestant propaganda."

HARVESTERS' GRIEVANCES.

OTTAWA, Tuesday.

Thirty British harvesters, who have failed to secure employment to their liking, and who have refused to work for farmers on the terms offered them, have arrived here to lay their case before Mr. Mackenzie King, the Prime Minister, and the Minister of Immigration, having walked the entire distance, over 200 miles, from Toronto, where they spent the winter.—(Reuter.)

WILL OF THE LATE MR. W. WALLACE.

Probate of the will, dated January 16, 1919, of the late Mr. William Wallace, Monkstown, County Dublin, a member of the Dublin Port and Docks Board and of the firm of Messrs. Wallace Brothers, coal merchants, who died in October last, has been granted. The estate has been sworn at £8,212. He bequeathed £100 a year and his household furniture to his wife for her life, and he directed that his shares in the firm of Messrs. Wallace Brothers and in the City of Dublin Steam Packet Company should be equally divided among his four children.

Mr. Charles Seymour Grenfell, of Flete, Ivybridge, Devon, and Elibank, Taplow, Bucks., formerly a partner in Messrs. Pascoe, Grenfall and Sons, a director of the City and South London Railway, the Royal Exchange Assurance Corporation, the London and County Bank, and the Notional Mortgage and Agency Company, of New Zealand, who died on January 11, aged 84 years, left unsettled property of the value of £60,930, with net personalty £59,338. The testator confirms the settlement of £32,000 on his children—Riversdale Francis John Grenfell, Lady Mildmay of Flete, Lady Charles Cavendish Bentinck and Mrs. Joly de Lothiniere. He gives £1,000 a year to his wife; £50 a year to his servant, John Slade; and the residue as to one-half on trust for his son and his wife and family, and the other half on trust for his daughter, Mildred Louisa Joly de Lothiniere.

Mr. William Davies, J.P., V.D., of Amberley Court, near Stroud, Gloucestershire, for many years a partner in Messrs. Robert S. Davies and Sons, woollen cloth manufacturers, Upper and Lower Mills, Stonehouse, who died on December 21 last, aged 76 years, left property of the value of £30,126, with net personalty £17,670. The testator gives £500 and the household effects to his wife; £5,000 to his nephew, William Mason Davies; £100 to Robert J. C. Little; £50 to his agent, William E. James; and the residue to his wife for life; and then as to £3,000 each to his nieces, Jane Harriette Davies and Mary Catharine Davies, and three-fifths of the ultimate residue to his nephew, William Mason Davies, and two-fifths to his nephew, Thomas Charles Slagden Davies.

Sir Edmund Nuttall, Bart., of Chasefield, Bowdon, Cheshire, engineer and contractor, of Messrs. Edmund Nuttall and Co., of Manchester; a director of Ex-Lands, Nigeria, Ltd.; of the Trafford Park Cold Storage, Ltd.; of the Trafford Park Dwellings, Ltd., and of Hendersons Transvaal Estates, Ltd., who died on October 11 last, aged 53 years, left estate of the gross value of £267,731, with net personalty, £215,468. The testator left to his wife £1,000 and his household and personal effects, consumable stores and motor cars absolutely, together with a life interest in a trust fund of £80,000, all free of duty. Subject to these provisions, he left all his property on trust for his children or their issue in equal shares.

Mr. Isaac Seaman, of Hampden House, Somers Town, London, N.W., and of 1 Lidlington place, St. Pancras, N.W., at one time manager of the *London Review*, and for eighteen years editor and manager of *Public Opinion*, a prominent Freemason, who died on December 15 last, aged 88 years, left estate of the gross value of £6,956, with net personalty £5,483.

NORTHERN UNITY.

LORD LONDONDERRY AND FORCE OF EXAMPLE

Captain Herbert Dixon, Chief Whip of the Unionist Party in the Northern Parliament, and Mrs. Dixon, last night entertained the members of the East Belfast Unionist and Women's Unionist Associations to a reception in the Ulster Hall to meet the members of the Northern Government.

Captain Dixon welcomed the members of the Government as their guests, and also the Lord Mayor, the Lady Mayoress, and the members of Parliament, particularly those from the country. East Belfast represented the ideal that Lord Carson gave them. They could have strong feelings amongst themselves without falling out. For instance, some of them thought that the Licensing Bill did not go far enough—(hear, hear)—while others thought that it had brought a Sahara to the home. (Laughter.)

Lord Londonderry, who was cordially received, said that, while they in Ulster might have their difficulties, they were sound on fundamental essentials, and if they were threatened from the outside they came together and presented a united front. He regretted that they had not the privilege of the presence of their Prime Minister, but they were glad to know that he was gaining strength, and would soon be amongst them.

As he stood on that platform of so many memories, where in the past were enunciated those principles that were indelibly bound up with Ulster, they had no cause to unsay what they said in the past, or to modify those expressions of opinion which had been often enunciated. They had maintained the ideal of union. They believed in unity, and they believed in the Empire, and, notwithstanding the great changes they had gone through in recent years, they knew that they were just as united upon the ideal of Empire now as they had been in the days that had gone.

They wanted to see their community progressing along the lines of advancement. They also wanted to see the community in other parts of Ireland progressing along the same lines, and any assistance they could give them in that direction they would be only too happy to give. But he felt certain that the only assistance they could now give them was the benefit of their example. The better they governed in the North, and the better they showed that the Ulster community could govern for the benefit of its own people, that example would carry its weight and influence over the border. While they had their own local differences, they did not let those differences cloud their vision on the great issue—the ideal of Imperial unity and the progress of the Empire to which they belonged. (Applause).

The Northern Minister of Finance (Right Hon. H. M. Pollock) said that the Northern Parliament, since its inception, had passed more ameliorative measures for Ulster than the Imperial Parliament had done for twenty years. (Applause.) So long as they remained united there was not the slightest danger to their national unity. Not a square inch of their territory would be surrendered at the arrogant call of any man. (Applause).

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE POISON INDUSTRY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In dealing with an evil such as the poteen peril, it seems to me that one should consider the causes which are directly responsible for it. The real cause for the prevalence of poteen-making is the high cost of whiskey. The Irish are, and have been for several generations, a whiskey-drinking people; but whiskey at sixteen shillings a bottle might as well not exist, so far as the poor peasant is concerned. It is not altogether unnatural, therefore, that he should endeavour to manufacture it for himself. He cannot manufacture good whiskey, so he manufactures the horrible stuff known as poteen.

Of course, if the Government can put down poteen-making, and, at the same time, by prohibitive taxation, prevent the people from drinking other spirits, it may be all to the good; but it will be a hard tussle. The rich man can still drink as much whiskey as he pleases.—Yours, etc.,

"A. M."

Enniskerry, Co. Wicklow.
April 1st, 1924.

THE DUBLIN CORPORATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Yesterday I listened to Mr. Patrick Leonard give evidence at the Local Government inquiry in the Mansion House, during which he contended that his firm had put the Corporation under an obligation in consequence of the fact that, on the laying out of the Cattle Markets, they had joined with other cattle salesmen in advancing to the Corporation the sum of £500. On cross-examination he stated that this sum had been repaid, and that during the time when it was out the mortgagees had received 6 *per cent.* interest. It may be of interest to Mr. Leonard and other critical ratepayers to know that the cattle salesmen were not the only people to come to the assistance of the Corporation.

In 1921, during the fight against the British Local Government Board, when the usual grants in aid were withheld, the workmen and officials, in order to help the Corporation out of its difficulties, voluntarily paid in instalments from their wages and salaries £6,162 12s., being the sum estimated by the Finance Committee required as interest on a loan from the bank to meet the deficit caused by the withholding of the grants. Neither the workmen nor the officers have been paid interest on this sum, nor has it been refunded.—Yours, etc.,

M. A. MOYNIHAN,
Deputy Borough Surveyor.

City Engineer's Department,
Castle street, Dublin,
April 1st, 1924.

WAVE LENGTHS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—During the Broadcasting Inquiry, as is stated in your issue of Saturday last, Mr. P. Mulligan (from the Post Office) said that the wave length would be 377 metres from the Dublin Broadcasting Station. The wave length has apparently been selected deliberately in order to cut off Manchester (375 wave length) and Bournemouth (385 wave length), the two stations best heard in Dublin. In fact, Manchester is the only station that can be readily picked up during the day-time with a one or two valve set.

It is childish of Mr. Walsh, or anyone else in office, to dictate to Irish people what they are, or rather what they are not, to listen to. King Canute tried to sweep back the sea waves, and Mr. Walsh proposes to confuse the wireless waves. There is a wide range of selection—from Cardiff (353 wave length) and Aberdeen (495 wave length)—and I would suggest that a wave length of 410 would not interfere seriously with any broadcasting station.—Yours, etc.,

"C. D."

Co. Dublin, April 1st, 1924.

THE TRANSPORT OF EGGS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Many letters have been published regarding the packing and posting of eggs. I have sent several dozen to England from time to time, but have now given up doing so, for the simple reason that they arrived broken. When compensation was asked for—some had been carefully packed in egg-boxes, both cardboard and wooden, and even sent by registered post—the reply from the postal authorities was that "no compensation was ever allowed for eggs." In the old days they were not packed so carefully and never were registered; yet they arrived quite safely.—Yours, etc.,

"E. P. R."

King's County, April 1st, 1924.

UNEMPLOYMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Is it any wonder that unemployment and industrial stagnation are prevalent in the Ireland of to-day? Three recent advertisements for a linotype operator, at wages very little below the Dublin and Cork standard, have not led to the slightest result.

It would be interesting to learn from the controlling powers of the Irish Typographical Association the cause for such a strange condition of affairs, which exists in more instances than my own experience. The work is there; but the workers are not forthcoming.—Yours, etc.,

"A SOUTHERN NEWSPAPER OWNER."

March 31st, 1924.

THE SECRETARIAL COURSE at SKERRY'S COMMERCIAL SCHOOL, 10 Harcourt st., Dublin, is the best possible preparation for a Business Career, and includes expert tuition in Shorthand, Typewriting, Book-keeping, Office Routine, etc. Prospectus free.—(Advt.)

SHIPYARD DISPUTE.

EMPLOYERS THREATEN A LOCK-OUT.

BY OUR LABOUR CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Tuesday.

The shipbuilding employers decided to-day to enforce a national lock-out on Thursday, the 10th inst., unless the Southampton strikers return to work by the 8th inst.

This was the outcome of a long joint conference in London between representatives of the Employers' Federation, the Engineering and Shipbuilding Trades' Federation, the Amalgamated Engineers' Union and the Shipwrights' Society

Repeated efforts have been made by the National Union leaders to persuade the Southampton men to call off the strike, but the strikers appear this week to be as determined as ever to remain out.

The trouble arises from the fact that the Southampton district wage rates are lower than those in other centres. It is stated that some of the mechanics receive only 47s. 6d. a week and semi-skilled workers 38s. The men have demanded an increase of 17s. 6d.

The employers regard the strike as a breach of the national agreement, and decline to consider either the Southampton claims for equalisation or a national claim submitted by the unions for an increase of 10s. a week in all shipyards until the Southampton men return to work.

The threat of a national lock out was made two or three weeks ago, but its execution has been deferred at the request of the union leaders to give them an opportunity to try to induce the strikers to go back.

Lock out notices will be posted on Saturday. It is understood that the Belfast shipyards will not be affected by the lock out.

A mass meeting of Southampton strikers belonging to the Amalgamated Engineers' Union yesterday adopted a resolution, pressing for a Court of Inquiry, fair wages on Admiralty subsidised ships and mail contracts, the withdrawal of the Majestic's sailing certificate, and increased wages before the resumption of work.

NEGOTIATIONS.

The unofficial strike of the Southampton shipyard workers was the subject of another conference in London yesterday between the Negotiating Committee of the Shipbuilding Employers' Federation and the Executives and district representatives of the Federation of Engineering and Shipbuilding Trades, the Amalgamated Engineering Union, and the Shipwrights' Society.

The proceedings, which began in the morning, lasted until after 6 o'clock last night, when the following joint official statement was issued:—"The shipyard Unions, including the Amalgamated Engineering Union and the Shipwrights', met to consider the definite position, as requested by the respective Executives, in regard to the Southampton dispute. By a very large majority of the trades it was decided that the dispute at Southampton was irregular and unofficial, and that in view of this decision the constitution of the Federation of Trades will have to be applied—namely, that the majority decision must be observed by all the unions concerned."

The following resolution was adopted by the Executives of the Unions and communicated to the employers:—"That, after to-day's meeting, the Executive representatives of all bodies with members out in Southampton arrange to meet the Men's Committee with a view to obtaining a resumption of work."

BROADCASTING.

To-day's Programme.

The letters "S.B." in these programmes signify a Simultaneous Broadcast from the Station mentioned.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.

3.30-4.30—Concert. Time Signal from Greenwich. The Wireless Trio. "The Jungle Girl," by Constance Coventry. Travel Pictures, "Friesland," by Marjorie Bowen. 5.30—Children's Stories: Uncle Jeff's Musical Talk, illustrated by the Orchestra. 6.15-7.0—Interval. 7.0—Time Signal from Big Ben and 1st General News Bulletin. S.B. to all Stations. "News and Views of the Theatre." S.B. to all Stations. Local News and Weather Forecast. 7.30—"The Magic Carpet"—IV. (Poland). S.B. from Cardiff. 9.0—Sketches by Bertha Willmott: "The Comedy Girl with a Voice." 9.15—The Month's Science reviewed by the British Science Guild, read by Sir Thomas Holland, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., F.R.S., Rector of the Imperial College of Science. S.B. to all Stations except Glasgow and Manchester. 9.30—Time Signal from Greenwich, and 2nd General News Bulletin. S.B. to all Stations except Manchester. Local News and Weather Forecast. 9.45.—Programme by the "Eclipse" Prize Singers, Eileen Wright (solo violin), and George Stockwin (baritone). 10.30.—Close down. Announcer: J. S. Dodgson.

BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—475 Metres.

3.30-4.30.—Lozells Picture House Orchestra—Director, Paul Rimmer. 5.0.—Women's Corner: Florence Litchfield (elocutionist) in a Recital. 5.30.—Agricultural Weather Forecast. Kiddies' Corner. 6.30.—"Teens Corner." 7.0.—News. S.B. from London. Archibald Haddon. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 7.30.—"Classic programme." Madame Stockham's Band of Harps. 8.15-8.45—Interval. 8.45.—The Station Orchestra. 9.15.—Sir Thomas Holland. S.B. from London. 9.30.—News. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 9.45.—A. R. Page, M.Met.Inst., on "Iron and Steel." 10.0.—Orchestra. 10.20—"Beer, Vic" will give Morse Practice. 10.30.—Close down. Announcer: Percy Edgar.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—385 Metres.

3.45.—Ethel Rowland, L.R.A.M., Pianoforte Recital. 4.0.—The Royal Bath Hotel Dance Orchestra (Musical Director, David S. Liff), relayed from King's Hall Rooms. 4.30.—Ethel Rowland, Pianoforte Recital. 4.45.—The Royal Bath Hotel Dance Orchestra, relayed from King's Hall Rooms. 4.45—Women's Hour. 5.15—Kiddies' Hour. 6.15—Scholars' Half-Hour: W. J. Woodhouse, A.C.P., M.I.H., "Matches." 7.0—News. S.B. from London. Archibald Haddon. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 7.30-8.0—Interval. 8.0—"Night of Memories." (All Songs with Orchestral Accompaniment) Evelyn Fryer (contralto), Gerald Kaye (tenor), Ernest Eady (baritone). 9.15.—Sir Thomas Holland. S.B. from London. 9.30.—News. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 9.45.—Orchestra. Evelyn Fryer and Ernest Eady, Gerald Kaye. 11.0.—Close down. Announcer: John H. Raymond.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres.

5.0—"5WA'S" "Five O'Clocks": Vocal and Instrumental Artistes. The Station Orchestra. Talks to Women. Weather Forecast. 5.45.—The Hour of the "Kiddiewinks." 7.0.—News. S.B. from London. Archibald Haddon. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 7.30—The Magic Carpet—IV. S.B. to London. The Magic Carpet will make a Flight to Poland. Pilot: Prof. B. J. Wilden-Hart, M.A. (Oxon), F.R.G.S. 8.0—Orchestral Suite, "Four Dances." 9.15—Sir Thomas Holland. S.B. from London. 9.30—News. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 9.45—Dance Music. 10.15—Close down. Announcer: W. N. Settle.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—375 Metres.

3.30-4.30—Concert: Gertrude Ferber (soprano), Katherine Gentle (contralto), Robert Bush (tenor), W. H. Atkinson (baritone). 5.0—Women's Hour. 5.20—Farmers' Weather Forecast. 5.30—Children's Hour. 7.0—News. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 7.30—Symphony Concert, relayed from the Free Trade Hall. The "2ZY" Orchestra (augmented to 100 performers). Conductor: Dan Godfrey, jun. 10.0—News Bulletin. 10.15—Close down. Announcer: Victor Smythe.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—400 Metres.

3.45—Concert: Jessie Bishop (solo pianoforte), Jonas Nattress (tenor), L. A. Nicholson (solo violin). 4.45—Women's Hour. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—Scholars' Half-Hour: Mr. William Carr, B.Sc., on "Animals of the Aquarium," Part 2. 6.35—Farmers' Corner: Mr. A. Cavers, of the Yorkshire Agricultural Society, on "Clean Milk." 7.0—News. S.B. from London. Archibald Haddon. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 7.30—The Wireless Orchestra. Conductor: William A. Crosse. Edna Sheard (contralto). Richard W. Clark, on "Madrigals." 8.15—Orchestra. Olive Zalva (elocutionist). 9.0-9.15—Interval. 9.15—Sir Thomas Holland. S.B. from London. 9.30—News. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 9.45—Edna Sheard. Olive Zalva. Orchestra. 10.30—Close down. Announcer: W. M. Shewen.

GLASGOW (5SC)—420 Metres.

3.30-4.30—An Hour of Melody by the Wireless Quartette and Sheena Kinloch (soprano). 4.45—Topics for Women. 5.15—The Children's Corner. 6.0—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 6.45—D. Millar Craig on "The Modern Orchestra and its Members." 7.0—News. S.B. from London. Archibald Haddon. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 7.30—Interval. 8.0—Symphony Concert relayed from St. Andrew's Hall. Soloist: Carmen Hill (soprano). The Wireless Orchestra (augmented). Conducted by Herbert A. Carruthers. 9.30—News. S.B. from London. Local News and Weather Forecast. 9.45—Orchestra. Carmen Hill. Orchestra. 10.30—Special announcements. Close down. Announcer: Herbert A. Carruthers.

PARIS (Radiola. Wave, 1,780.)

11.30—Markets. News. 11.45—Trigane Orchestra. 12.45—Stock Exchange. 3.30—Markets, News. 3.45—Concert. 4.45—Racing and Political News. 7.30—News. 8.0—Music.

PACIFYING EUROPE.

The *Daily Express* says:—A careful study of M. Poincaré's latest pronouncement in the French Chamber confirms the forecast that the French Government is prepared to make some kind of reparation settlement on the basis of the experts' report—provided that Britain pays. The price will be that Great Britain shall cancel France's debt to this country—or lump it on to Germany's debt to us in a form equivalent to cancellation. Thus the British taxpayer would pay to secure not only the peace and prosperity of Europe, but the salvation of M. Poincaré at the coming French elections.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED FIRM.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
NEW YORK, Tuesday.

On to-day's Stock Market the opening was firm. Tobaccos, Railroads, and Merchandise issues rose 1 to 2 points on buying, which was encouraged by the strength of the French and Belgian exchange rates and a better outlook regarding Federal tax legislation. The closing was firm. Government Bonds steady; Railroad Bonds irregular. The day's sales amounted to 530,000 shares. Money on call closed easy at 4½ p.c. bid and 4½ p.c. asked. Actual business was done from 4½ p.c. to 5 p.c., with the ruling rate 5 p.c. The last transaction was at 4½ p.c. Sterling exchange strong. Silver unchanged for foreign-mined at 63⅝c.

Chesapeake and Ohio Common advanced 1⅛; Chicago Milwaukee Common, Chicago Rock Island, Wabash Preferred, Bethlehem Steel Common ⅞; Shell Ord., ⅞; Erie Railroad Shares, ⅞; Erie First Preferred, 1⅛; Great Northern Preferred, Texas and Pacific, ⅞; General Electric, 1¼; Illinois Central, Lehigh Valley Shares, American Smelting and Refining Common, Utah Copper, ¼; Norfolk and Western Common and National Lead 1¼, and Anaconda Copper 1. United States Rubber declined ¼; Union Pacific Bonds ⅞, and United States Steel Second Mortgage Bonds 1¼.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

The stocks of contract lard here amount to 26,033,000lbs., against 15,799,000lbs. last month and 8,704,000lbs. in April last year. Other kinds totalled 7,108,000lbs., against 6,252,000lbs. last month and 4,790,000lbs. last April. Stocks of contract mess pork aggregate 1,000 barrels, against 1,000 last month and 1,000 last April; other kinds, 34,000 barrels, against 33,000 last month and 24,000 in April last year. Stocks of contract short ribs total 2,832,000lbs., compared with 2,563,000lbs. last month and 3,395,000lbs. last April.

Ex. Parity	Stocks	Closing Bid Prices. Mon.	Closing Bid Prices. Tues.	Business Done. H	Business Done. L
118⅜	Funded	102¼	102¼	—	—
118⅝	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	98¼	98⅝	—	—
102½	Do. Preference	88	88	—	—
63⅞	Baltimore and Ohio	56⅝	54⅝	—	—
166⅝	Canadian Pacific	143⅝	143¾	—	—
85⅞	Chesapeake Ohio Com.	72⅛	73⅛	—	—
18⅜	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul	15⅝	16⅝	—	—
59⅞	Chicago and N.-West	51	51	—	—
37⅜	Erie 1st Preferred	31	31¾	—	—
64⅝	Do. 4% Gen. Lien Bds.	55⅞	55¼	—	—
65⅛	Great Northern Pref.	55⅞	56	—	—
117⅛	Illinois Central	101	101½	—	—
80⅛	Lehigh Valley	68	69	—	—
108⅜	Louisville & Nashville	91½	91⅝	—	—
12⅞	Missouri, Kan. & Texas	10⅝	10¾	—	—
79⅛	Do. New 4% Bonds	68¾	68¼	—	—
61⅝	Do. Adj. 5% Bonds	55⅛	55⅛	—	—
13⅛	Missouri Pacific New	11⅞	11⅞	—	—
4⅛	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pref.	4	4	—	—
2	Do. 2nd Pref.	1½	1¾	—	—
115⅛	N.Y. Ctl. & Hudson R	101¼	99¾	—	—
146⅞	Norfolk & West Com.	124¼	125¼	—	—
58⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	50⅛	50⅛	—	—
19⅝	Ontario and Western	16⅛	16⅛	—	—
50⅞	Pennsylvania Shares	43⅛	43⅛	—	—
62⅞	Reading Shares	53⅛	53¼	—	—
41¼	Do. 1st Preferred	35⅝	35⅝	—	—
104¼	Do. 4% Mort. Bonds	90⅝	90⅛	—	—
62⅛	Southern Railway	53⅝	54	—	—
100⅛	Southern Pacific	85⅝	86⅛	—	—
30½	Texas and Pacific	25⅛	26¼	—	—
149⅝	Union Pacific	128¾	128⅝	—	—
82⅛	Do. Pref.	71	71⅛	—	—
104½	Do. 4% Bonds	90⅛	89¾	—	—
18⅝	Wabash Common	16	16	—	—
52⅜	Do. Preferred A	44⅝	45⅝	—	—
68⅞	Amer. Smelt. Refin. Com	58⅝	59	—	—
37⅛	Anaconda Copper	31⅛	32¾	—	—
25⅛	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	21⅛	21⅛	—	—
71⅛	N.Y. Cons. Gas	61⅜	61⅝	—	—
253⅛	General Electric	217⅞	218⅛	—	—
114⅛	U.S. Steel Common	[illegible]	98⅞	—	—
138⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	119⅛	119	—	—
119⅛	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	103⅛	102⅛	—	—
—	Silver (Foreign Mined)	63¼	63⅛	—	—
8	Inter. M.M. Com. Certs.	6⅛	6⅛	—	—
31⅛	Do. Prefd. Certs.	27	27	—	—
62⅞	Royal Dutch Oil	53¼	53⅛	—	—
44⅛	Shell Transport	37⅛	38⅛	—	—
53⅛	Pan American Pet.	46⅛	46½	—	—
19⅛	Anglo-American Oil	16⅛	16⅝	—	—
16⅛	General Motors	14⅛	14⅛	—	—
38⅛	U.S. Rubber	31	30½	—	—

*Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Ex Bonus. § Ex Rights.

	Monday.	Tuesday.
Call Money	5b. 5½a.	4½b. 4½a.
Ex. on Ln. 60 days' sight	4.26.87½	4.27.25
Ex. on Ln. Demand Bills	4.29.62½	4.30.00
Cable Transfers	4.29.87½	4.30.25
Ex. on Paris	5.84	5.72
Cotton, Mid. Upland	28.60	28.50
Do. New Orleans, Mid.	28.63	28.63
Cottonseed Oil, P. Sum.		
Yellow Spot	9.75	9.85
Cot. Seed Oil, Yel., July	—	9.86
Petro., Refined, in cases	17.40	17.40
Do., Standard White	14.00	14.00
Do., Philad., Stan. do.	14.00	14.00
Do. Pennsyl., Crude	4.50	4.50
Spirits of Turpentine	101	101
Do., Savannah	94	—
Resin, Grade K	4.85	4.92½
Do., Grade F	4.85	4.92½
Lard, Prime West. Stm.	11.70	11.70
Do. Mid. West	11.20—11.30	11.20—11.30
	7⅛	7⅛
Tallow, Extra	6.65	6.65
Sugar, New Cuban		
Corn, West., No. 2 Mix.	90½	91½
Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Wtr.	120	119½
Do., No. 2 Red Winter	120	119½
Do., No. 2 Mix. Drm.	117½	117½
Coffee, Rio No. 7	15⅝	7.15⅝
Flour, Spring Clears	5.00—5.50	5.00—5.50
Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry.	21.50—23.00	21.50—23.00
Tin, Straits	49.37½	50.00
Zinc, East St. Louis	6.27½	6.22½
Electrolytic Cop., Spot	13½—13⅝	13½—13½
Do. do., Futures	13½—13⅝	13⅜—13½
Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdom, per bushel	3/0—3/6	3/0—3/6
Freight, Heavy Grain to Continent, per bushel	12—15	12—15
Freight, Cont. to L'pool (high density)	30	30
Do. Stand. (per 100lb.)	40	40

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

WHEAT.—Spot market easy and ½c. cheaper. Exporters engaged 20 boatloads. The visible supply in Canada decreased 355,000 bushels on the week, and now totals 54,677,000. Receipts:—Atlantic, 386,000; last year, 339,000. Clearances, 429,000; last year, 334,000.

FLOUR dull.

CORN.—Spot market firm and 1½c. higher. Receipts:—Atlantic, 37,000; last year, 155,000. Clearances, 7,000; last year, nil.

LARD.—Cash steady and unaltered.

COFFEE opened easy, 5 to 15 points lower. Values weakened on easier Brazilian markets and selling by New Orleans interests and commission houses. Partial recoveries were made subsequently, owing to Wall street houses buying and shorts coverings, and the market closed irregular, 4 points up to 12 down. Spot steady and unchanged. Approximate sales, 45,000 bags. May, 13.53; July, 12.75; September, 12.60; December, 11.80; March, 11.18.

RUBBER steady and ¼c. up. First latex crepe, 23; smoked ribbed sheets, 22½.

SUGAR steady. Porto Rico 6.65. Approximate future sales, 25,000 tons. May, 4.98; July, 5.09; September, 5.03; December, 4.53. To-day's sales to refiners at 6.65 for prompt shipment:—43,000 bags of Cuban and 30,000 bags of Porto Rico.

COTTON opened steady, 7 points higher to 2 lower. Prices advanced at first on firm cable advices, better Manchester news, improvement in the cotton goods trade, and buying by foreign interests; but fell under reactionary selling, a forecast of favourable weather in the South-West, selling by New Orleans interests and Southern operators, the unsatisfactory spot situation and unloading by spot interests. There was some covering in the final dealings, and the market closed steady, unchanged to 16 points down. Spot quiet at 10 points fall. New Orleans spot unchanged. Receipts:—Atlantic, 4,000; Gulf, 4,000. Exports—Britain, 11,000; Continent, 19,000. Futures in last 20 seconds of trading:—April, lowest 28.26, highest 28.26; May 28.36, 28.40; June 27.96, 27.96; July 27.35, 27.40; August 26.20, 26.20; September 25.06, 25.05; October 24.40, 24.40; November 24.22, 24.22; December 24.04, 24.07; January 23.79, 23.72; February 23.68, 23.68; March 23.64, 23.64. New Orleans futures in last minute of trading:—May, lowest 28.29, highest 28.35; July 27.15, 27.18.

COTTON OIL firm.

PETROLEUM steady.

TALLOW steady.

KANSAS CITY.—Wheat firm, 1c. up. No. 2 hard winter, 109½.

ST. LOUIS.—Wheat firm and 1c. dearer. No. 2 red winter, 115.

MINNEAPOLIS.—Wheat easy and 1c. lower. No. 1 Northern spring, 113½.

WINNIPEG.—Wheat opened steady, 1c. to ½c. up, but closed easy, ½c. to ⅛c. lower. May, 97½; July, 99½. Oats steady at ½c. fall. May, 37½.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

WHEAT opened barely steady, ½c. lower to unchanged, on favourable weather, and continued to decline on easier cable advices, lower North-West markets, commission house selling, a poor outside demand, and bearish estimates by Mr. Snow. The market closed easy at ⅛c. to ⅜c. fall. Spot barely steady. No. 2 hard winter, spot, 113½; No. 3 hard winter, spot, nominal. May, 101½; July, 103½; September, 104.

MAIZE opened barely steady, ½c. down to unchanged, on predictions of more favourable weather and realising; then rallied owing to bad roads for the movement, a better cash demand, and outside support. Partial recessions followed under commission house selling and realising, the market closing irregular at 1c. to ⅛c. gain. Corn—No. 2 mixed, spot, nominal. May, 78; July, 78½; September, 78½.

OATS steady and unchanged to ⅛c. lower. May, 45½; July, 44½; September, 40½.

PROVISIONS opened steady. Trading was again light and without important feature, and the market closed dull, with lard 5 points up to unchanged and ribs unchanged to 2½ points higher. Lard—May, 10.82½; July, 11.05; September, 11.27½. Ribs—May, 9.52½; July, 9.85.

BACON steady and unchanged. The receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1, total 4,076,000, compared with 3,691,000 for the same season last year.

HOGS easier, 5 points down for light descriptions and 5 points lower to unchanged for heavy.

	Bacon 60lbs. avg.	160 to 250 lbs.		250 to 320 lbs.	
To-day	9.62½	7.50	7.70	7.45	7.70
Previous day	9.62½	7.50	7.55	7.20	7.45

NORTHERN RHODESIA'S FIRST GOVERNOR.

LIVINGSTONE, NTH. RHODESIA, Tuesday.

In the presence of a large and representative gathering, Mr. Herbert James Stanley, C.M.G., was to-day sworn in as Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Northern Rhodesia.—(Reuter.)

The Croydon air dispute continues, and no aeroplanes left yesterday for the Continent.

PRIVATE BILLS.

PROBLEM OF A MAIN OBJECT.

Objections to the initial stages of the promotion of the Irish Hydro and Peat Electrical Power Bill were heard at Leinster House yesterday by Mr. Christie, the examiner of private bills, who sat to consider proofs of compliance with the requirements of Standing Orders. The objections were made on behalf of the Liffey Syndicate, Ltd., and the Anna Liffey Syndicate.

Mr. E. FitzGerald, Solicitor, who appeared for the Anna Liffey Syndicate (promoters of the Dublin Electricity Supply Bill), said that his clients contended that the promoters of the Hydro and Peat Electrical Power Bill had not made the money deposit required by Standing Order, and if that contention were correct the bill would automatically have to be withdrawn.

Mr. W. T. Sheridan, on behalf of the Liffey Syndicate, Ltd. (promoters of the East Leinster Electricity Supply Bill), lodged 38 objections. These objections were all concerned with the fact that the main objects of the bill were not, as he held, set out in the advertisement. He took the same view as Mr. FitzGerald in regard to the money deposit. His information was that the non-lodgment of the deposit was invariably held to be fatal.

Mr. J. Maxwell, who appeared for the promoters of the bill, intimated that the deposit had been lodged, and said that the only question about it was whether it was in time.

The examiner replied that he would put the matter before the Joint Committee on Private Bill legislation.

Proofs of the publication of the necessary notices, or advertisements, having been submitted, Mr. Sheridan stated the objections made by him on behalf of the Liffey Syndicate Limited. Several of the main objects of the bill, he said, were not alluded to at all in the bill. There was no information given with regard to the area of supply; neither was mention made of the powers sought to break up roadways, tramways and railways.

Mr. Maxwell, for the promoters, submitted that none of the things mentioned could be regarded as "a main object"; they were really consequential or incidental objects.

The Examiner remarked that in considering main objects the public point of view would have to be taken into account. He held that the area of supply was one of the main objects of the bill, and it was his opinion that notice of intention to take lands should be given to the occupiers. The points brought to his attention would be brought before the Joint Committee.

Mr. Maxwell complained that he had not been furnished with a copy of the objections made by the opposition. Had he received a copy he would have been in a position to meet the objections. He did not suggest, however, that Mr. Sheridan was acting outside his rights in not furnishing him with a copy.

The Examiner said that the best thing he could do was to make a formal report upon the 38 objections. It was important that Mr. Maxwell should have an opportunity of considering those objections and preparing a statement. In so far, therefore, as the memorial dealt with the question of main objects he would make a special report to the Joint Committee.

Mr. Sheridan said that they should have something to guide them as to what main objects were. He maintained that Standing Orders required that all powers sought by the promoters should be specifically set out in the advertisements.

The Examiner said that he would make a formal report to the Joint Committee on the particular cases brought to his attention.

The examination will be continued to-day.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

THE TURKISH TREATY.

PRIME MINISTER'S ATTITUDE.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.

WESTMINSTER, Tuesday.

The House of Commons was very quiet again this afternoon and there was not a crowd of members in any quarter of the Chamber. A long question list proved to be most unattractive, while for a novelty there was not a single private notice question. Mr. Lansbury, who asked concerning Irish political prisoners in Scotland, was told that it was the affair of the Government of Northern Ireland. Sir Malcolm T. McNaghten pressed the claims of the ex-Royal Irish Constabulary pensioners to a place in the bill to be introduced after Easter, but Mr. Snowden said that he could not anticipate the bill.

The discussion on the second reading of the Treaty of Peace with Turkey Bill gave Mr. Ponsonby an opportunity to state the policy of the Government with regard to Treaties generally. There were to be no more secret Treaties, and all agreements, commitments and understandings which might bind the country on specific questions were to be made known to Parliament.

In regard to the Treaty now in question, the Under Secretary, on behalf of the Government, disclaimed all responsibility for it. All they were concerned with was that it should be ratified as speedily as possible, so that normal political and trade relations might be resumed with Turkey at the earliest moment.

Sir Samuel Hoare, who was rather anxious to know whether the Prime Minister himself approved of the Treaty, entered upon a eulogy of Lord Curzon, who as Foreign Secretary had alone made it possible to achieve any peace at all. The present concern of the Opposition, he said, was to see that the provisions of the Treaty were carried out. It must be made plain to Turkey that her treatment of Christian minorities would be regarded as one of the tests by which we should judge the sincerity of her claim to be regarded as one of the civilised nations of the world.

Mr. Fisher, a former Minister of Education, so far from having any enthusiasm for the Treaty, considered that the provisions with regard to capitulations and Christian minorities were hopelessly faulty, and he confessed that he looked to the future with a considerable degree of apprehension. He had been told that there was no need to worry about minorities, as they had all been killed out, and he was afraid that there was an element of tragic truth in that statement.

The rejection of the bill was moved by Sir Edward Grigg, pending a definite statement from the Government as to whether the Dominions and India had been fully informed of the liabilities incurred by the guarantee of the demilitarised zones on both sides of the Straits. He argued that the freedom of the Straits, as defined in the contention, was not worth the obligations we incurred.

The Prime Minister, who spoke in the debate later, gave a rather non-committal answer to the question which had been put to him as to his own attitude to the Treaty. Certainly, it was not quite all that could be wished for, but he doubted whether any new conference could have produced a better document. The only thing that could be done now was to ratify the Treaty, or there would be no end to a state of war. Whatever the faults of the Treaty, it could, he believed, be made the basis of a good, workable understanding between ourselves and Turkey.

Further debate on the subject was adjourned until one day next week, in order to permit of Colonel Assheton Pownall's calling attention to the incidence of taxation on motor vehicles. Moving a resolution in favour of a tax on petrol, rather than on horse-power, the hon. member argued that the present system was grossly unfair, and really bore no relation to the use and consequent wear and tear of roads.

Pending the report of the Committee which was considering the whole question of motor taxation, Mr. Gosling promised to keep an open mind regarding the various points raised, but he considered that, speaking generally, the present method of taxation had worked well.

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"SUMMER TIME."

BILL PASSED BY THE DAIL.

COLLECTION OF DEBTS.

The Dail yesterday passed the Summer Time Bill. It provides that all clocks shall be advanced by one hour on the 13th inst., and that Greenwich time shall be restored on the 21st September.

The Committee stage of the Enforcement of Law (Occasional Powers) Bill, which gives wide powers to Sheriffs and Under-Sheriffs in the execution of decrees, was passed.

The Collection of Rates Bill, as amended by the Senate, was considered, and all but one of the Upper House's amendments were adopted.

QUESTIONS.

AN ORDER FOR SUITS.

In the Dail yesterday,

Alderman Alfred Byrne asked the Minister for Industry and Commerce if he would state "whether contracts for clothing for demobilised soldiers are issued by his Department or by the Contracts Committee; if he was aware that recently an order for a thousand suits of clothes was given to Messrs. Arthur and Co., Middle Abbey street, Dublin; that the contractor purchased the clothing ready-made in Great Britain; that the workers of the clothing industry in Ireland are mostly on half-time or are unemployed, and if he will take steps to see that contracts of this nature will not leave Ireland in future."

The President said that contracts for clothing for demobilised soldiers were not issued by the Ministry for Industry and Commerce. They were, as a rule, issued by the Local Government Trade Department on behalf of the Government Contracts Committee, who decided that those tenders should be accepted. He was aware that an order for civilian suits was recently given to Messrs. Arthur and Co. It was given direct by the Army authorities in the circumstances that demobilisation of the Army had proceeded recently at an unexpectedly rapid rate, and that as a consequence there was a very large number of men to be supplied with civilian clothing. It was essential that suits should be obtained at very short notice, and the usual practice as regards circumstances and conditions of buying had to be departed from. He regretted that this should have resulted in the importation of the articles, and he should see that steps would be taken to obviate anything of the kind happening again.

Mr. Johnson asked if they were to understand that demobilisation was not foreseen, and, therefore, could not be prepared for, or was it a continuation of the policy of "hand to mouth." The same excuse had been given before. Surely, the demobilisation had been foreseen.

The President said that perhaps the term "demobilisation" was not the correct one. The number of men re-attesting was not as great as had been anticipated.

Mr. Johnson asked if it was that the number of re-attestations was less than was foreseen or that the men were not accepted.

The President said that the re-attestations had not been up to the mark, and if Mr. Johnson would put down another question he would have an answer for him.

COMMISSION ON AGRICULTURE.

Mr. Hogan, Minister for Agriculture, replying to Mr. Conor Hogan, said that he understood from the Secretary of the Commission on Agriculture that there was a majority report, and that a minority report was being prepared. The majority report had been ready for some time, and the minority report would be ready shortly. He hoped to have both reports by next week.

SUMMER TIME.

On the motion of Mr. O'Higgins, the last stage of the Summer-Time Bill was passed. By Section 2 the bill fixes the beginning of summer-time in the morning of April 13th inst. and the ending on the morning of September 21st.

ENFORCEMENT OF LAW.

The House resumed the Committee stage of the Enforcement of Law (Occasional Powers) Bill.

Mr. Davin moved an amendment to Section 8, which authorises an Under Sheriff to seize cattle or other property of a debtor and have them sent to England or Scotland for sale, if he thought fit. He said that he did not think it was the intention of the Minister to sanction a procedure which would pile up costs upon the debtor. The amendment "but not outside Ireland" would enable a way to be found out of the difficulty.

Mr. O'Higgins said that in practice the Under-Sheriff would not transport stock or goods. In some cases it might be cheaper to take the chattels to England than to take them to a different part of this country. He, however, accepted the principle of the amendment.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hefferman moved an amendment to Section XI. which deals with the powers and duties of Sub-Sheriffs. Under this section, he said, the Sub-Sheriff or his officers could break and enter the premises of an innocent party and would be protected against legal action. His amendment would have the effect of preventing acts of this kind, and would render the Sub-Sheriff and his men liable for their acts.

The Minister for Home Affairs said he could not accept the amendment, for if it became operative it would hamper the Sub-Sheriffs in the discharge of their duties, and it would subject them to intolerable risks.

On a division, the amendment was lost by 30 votes to 13.

Mr. Hefferman moved an amendment by which the property of persons which may be found in the house of the debtor should not be seized by the Sheriff.

Mr. Johnson said that great injustice might be done, say, to a son who lived in his father's house, if his pictures or piano were seized for his father's debt, or *vice versa*, and he thought that some provision should be made in the law to safeguard such persons.

Mr. O'Higgins said that the bogus third-party claim in these cases had been paralysing the efforts of Under-Sheriffs. A debtor would say to the Sheriff, "This property that you are going to seize is not mine at all; it belongs to my wife." That was frequently said, and the section gave the injured third party a legal remedy—a right to recover the value of the seized property from the debtor.

Mr. Johnson—And the debtor has no property and cannot pay!

HARDSHIP ADMITTED.

Mr. O'Higgins said that he did not think it possible to draft an amendment that would meet the case suggested by Mr. Johnson. It was possible that individual cases of hardship might occur, but they would be few as compared with the large percentage of bogus claims. The choice was an obvious and easy one.

Mr. Johnson said that it was not against "hardship" that he spoke, but against actual gross injustice.

Mr. Hefferman said that it would be imposing a great wrong upon, say, a son whose property had been seized in his father's house, that he should be driven to take proceedings against his father to recover the value of the seized property.

Mr. Baxter appealed to the Minister to try to find some form of words that would protect even three per cent. of the people from injustice.

Mr. O'Higgins said that it was not the intention of the Sheriff to consider himself at liberty to seize the property of a third party.

Mr. Hefferman—That may not be his intention, but that is what will happen.

Mr. O'Higgins said that the Sheriff should not consider himself absolutely debarred from seizing the property simply because the wife or the son of the debtor said that the property belong to them or either of them. Statements of that kind were easily and lightly made. There was a total of £170,000 outstanding on decrees made by the courts, and that money was in the possession of persons who had no right to it, while it was being kept from those who had a right to it. He considered it his duty to accept without reserve the principle that the writs of the courts should run. He could not accept the amendment, but he would undertake to give further consideration to the section, in order to probe the possibility of giving compensation to the injured third party, if it was proved that he suffered loss. Without the section the bill would be little more than waste paper.

Mr. Hefferman said that on the undertaking of the Minister he would withdraw his amendment.

Mr. O'Higgins said that he preferred that the deputy should put his amendment on its merits to the House. He was not inclined to strike a bargain with the deputy, because he might not be able to bring up on the Report stage anything that might meet the deputy's view.

Mr. Hefferman said that he did not consider the undertaking in the nature of a bargain. In fact he did not think that the amendment, as worded, would fulfil the intention he had in mind.

The amendment was, by leave, withdrawn.

On the motion that the clause stand part of the bill, Mr. Johnson called for a division, which resulted in the motion being carried by 31 to 12 votes.

Mr. Johnson moved an amendment to delete Section 18, under which the cost of employing an assistant under-Sheriff is charged as regards half on the county in which such an assistant is necessary.

The Minister for Home Affairs said that counties which were in a bad state as regards arrears of debt should pay for the special equipment rendered necessary by that fact, and the cost should not be thrown wholly on the national Exchequer, and so borne by the taxpayers in better counties.

The section was retained.

The Committee stage was concluded, and the Report stage ordered for next Tuesday.

COLLECTION OF RATES.

The Local Government (Collection of Rates) Bill, as amended in the Senate, was considered in Committee.

The Minister for Local Government accepted all the amendments, and they were agreed to—with one exception. He moved to disagree with the Senate's new sub-section to Section 2, as follows:—"No levy shall be made by the under-Sheriff, under this section, against the goods, animals or chattels of a defaulter who, prior to the issue of the warrants under this Act, has delivered to the under-Sheriff a writ, or writs, of *fieri facias*, or a writ, bill, decree, or decrees, for execution until the under sheriff has made a return to such writ or writs of *fieri facias*, or civil bill decree or decrees."

He said that by the operation of the Enforcement of Law (Occasional Powers) Bill the cases of delay in the execution of decrees would be greatly reduced in number. Precaution would be taken to avoid the infliction of undue hardship through the operation of the bill, but the practical difficulties in the way of the amendment were practically insurmountable. It would be impossible for under sheriffs to give priority to certain writs, and the amendment would make him liable for damages unless he did arrange priority for certain writs. The amendment was also objectionable on grounds of public policy. If it were accepted there would be no logical reason why the principle should not also be admitted that the payment of rates should be made contingent on the collection of the debts due to defaulting ratepayers. It was easy to see that that would lead to a very invidious position.

The motion to disagree with the amendment was adopted.

The House adjourned at 6.50 till 3 o'clock to-day.

SELL'S DIRECTORY.

The 39th annual edition of "Sell's Directory of Registered Telegraphic Addresses" has just been published, and the price is 45s. This is the only publication authorised by the British Postmaster-General to give such information. It is calculated that a firm sending only one telegram per day would, by the use of the official code address given in the Directory, save from £10 to £15 a year.

The magnitude of the work may be gauged from the fact that, in addition to containing an alphabetically arranged list of some 100,000 firms in Great Britain and Ireland, there is an alphbetical list of the code words indexed for easy reference, and a trades list wherein there are particulars of more than 130,000 firms, arranged alphabetically in their trade or profession under 3,500 headings. In this volume there are also two special sections; a newspaper section, giving the chief periodicals in Great Britain and Ireland, and a building trades' list, which contains the names and addresses of the leading firms engaged in the building and allied trades in Great Britain and Ireland, grouped under some 500 separate trade headings, together with the special announcements of firms, giving particulars of their business.

This section, which will be issued later in the year as a separate publication, at a price of 5s., should be indispensable to architects, builders, builders' merchants, etc., forming as it does a comprehensive guide to the chief producers and suppliers of every requisite used in the construction, maintenance, and equipment of buildings.

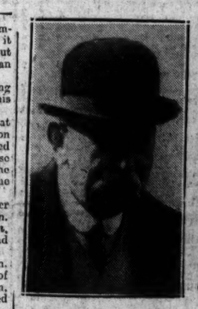
The Athens newspapers report that a Bulgarian band has made an abortive attempt to cross the Greek frontier in the direction of Porot

WESTMEATH HUNT POINT-TO-POINT.

Clearing the First Fence in the Race for the Barbour Cup—Glen Eddie (left), Eager Lad (centre) and Take All.

Major J. Roche Kelly (the Starter) and some Lady Friends.

Group including the Master, Mr. E. W. Hope-Johnstone (centre), Mr. Owen Ryan, and Mr. Frank Barbour, a former Master of the Westmeath (on right), the donor of the Barbour Cup.



Lord Rathcnonell, who took the chair at the R.D.S. protest meeting yesterday.

Dr. Joly, F., T.C.D., one of the speakers at the R.D.S. protest meeting yesterday.

Mr. Walter Layton, Editor of the "Economist," who is to lecture in Dublin next week on current problems of International Finance.

THE D.M.P.

ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY MEMBERS RESIGN.

One hundred and ninety members of the Dublin Metropolitan Police Force retired on Monday, including two inspectors, eleven station sergeants, forty sergeants and 153 constables. The men have an average of 18 to 20 years' service, and under Article 10 of the Treaty they are entitled to add six years for the purpose of fixing their pensions.

IRISH PRISONERS IN SCOTLAND.

A MATTER FOR NORTHERN IRELAND.

Mr. Lansbury, in the House of Commons yesterday, asked the Secretary for Scotland if he would state how many Irish political prisoners, convicted of offences committed in Ireland, were at present detained in prisons in Scotland; what was the nature of the offences charged against such prisoners; what was the character of the punishment these persons were subject to; what was the length of sentence already served; for how long a period the prisoners were still to be detained, and would he consider asking the Irish Government responsible for those prisoners either to take them back to Ireland or to sanction their release.

Mr. Stewart, who replied, said that a number of prisoners serving sentences imposed by the Courts of Northern Ireland were at present detained in Scotland, but the Secretary for Scotland had no information as to the motives underlying their offences, nor were prisoners classified as political or otherwise according to the motive of their offence. Any question regarding the future disposal of these prisoners was a matter, not for the Secretary for Scotland, but for the Government and Parliament of Northern Ireland.

OBITUARY.

THE REV. N. LAWLESS, P.P.

Much regret is felt in Dundalk at the death yesterday in a Dublin nursing home of the Rev. N. Lawless, Parish Priest of Faughart. Father Lawless was a man of scholarly mind and had made a special study of the history and antiquities of Ireland. For many years he took a prominent part in the politics of County Louth. Outside the Archdiocese of Armagh he was also known for his vigorous references to public questions. His integrity was recognised even by those from whom he differed strongly. He was held in high esteem alike by his brother priests in the Archdiocese and by the laity, Catholic and Protestant. Father Lawless's health had been indifferent for some time, but he attended to his priestly duties to the last.

THE QUEENSTOWN OUTRAGE.

At a meeting of the staff of the City of Dublin Assurance Society held at the Red Bank Restaurant the following resolution, proposed by Mr. C. W. Guest, general manager and secretary, and seconded by Mr. D. J. Mulvihill, divisional manager, Cork, was carried unanimously:—"That this gathering of officials and agents from all parts of the Free State and Northern Ireland express their horror at the dastardly shooting of women, children, and unarmed British soldiers at Cobh, and tender to the afflicted relatives their heartfelt sympathy."

CATTLE DISEASE.

HOLYHEAD PORT TO REMAIN OPEN.

Mr. T. R. Evans, Clerk to the Holyhead Urban authority, has received from the Ministry of Agriculture the following reply to a letter written by him in reference to the foot-and-mouth disease controversy, arising out of a speech made in the House of Commons by Sir Robert J. Thomas, the member for Anglesey:—

"I am directed to refer to your letter of the 28th inst., and previous correspondence on the subject of foot-and-mouth disease. In reply, I am to say that the Minister has no reason to think that this disease exists in Ireland, and, therefore, does not contemplate prohibiting the landing of Irish animals at the approved landing place at Holyhead."

In his communication to the Minister, Mr. Evans stated that the Council is still satisfied that there is no foot-and-mouth disease in Ireland, but they wish to be assured "that your Board do not contemplate making an order to close the port of Holyhead against the admittance of Irish cattle."

NEW ISSUE.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT 4½ CONVERSION LOAN, 1940-44.

The British Government offers, in the terms of a prospectus on page 9, to holders of 5 p.c. War Loan conversion of their holdings in whole or in part into a 4½ p.c. Conversion Loan, not redeemable till 1940-44, at the rate of £103 4½ p.c. for each £100 of £5 p.c. War Loan. The total amount to be converted of 5 p.c. War Loan inscribed in the books of the Bank of England and the Bank of Ireland is £320,000,000, and these banks are authorised to receive from holders of War Loan applications for the conversion of their holdings into 4½ p.c. Loan. The dividend of £2 10s. payable on 1st June on 5 p.c. War Loan will be paid in respect of converted holdings, and a first payment of 7s. 6d. p.c. will be made on July 1 in respect of the Conversion Loan. The new Loan is redeemable at par on 1st July, 1944, but the Government reserves the right of redemption at par on any half-yearly interest date after 1st July, 1940. The books of the new Loan will be kept at the Bank of England. The arrangements for the applications and conversions to bankers and stockbrokers are set forth in the prospectus, and the latest date for these applications is April 19. Applications must be made on the printed forms, which may be obtained at the Bank of Ireland, Dublin and Belfast, or branches. The list of applications will close on or before Saturday, April 26. The effect of the conversion, which is, of course, quite optional, would be that after June 1 the holders would receive £6 12s. 8d. per annum in interest in place of each £5 now being received. On the other hand, on repayment of the Loan there would be £103 in place of every £100 of War Loan, and there would be no risk of repayment before 1940. The redemption terms of the new Loan are likely to attract many investors, and particularly trustees, insurance companies and the like, who wish to avoid the risk of being repaid in 1929, when they might not be able to reinvest the money at so high a rate of interest as that obtainable on the 4½ p.c. Conversion Loan now offered. The prospectus does not state that the interest on the 4½ p.c. will be paid without deduction of income tax at the source, but the payment of 7s. 6d. for one month—July—which is equivalent to £4 10s. for twelve months, apparently indicates that income tax will not be deducted at the source.

The Swiss Federal Council has concluded with Messrs. J. P. Morgan, the American bankers, an agreement for the issue of a 5½ per cent. $30,000,000 Loan, redeemable in twenty years.

IRISH EDUCATION.

THE NORTHERN ACT IN OPERATION.

MINISTER ON ITS AIM.

Opening an exhibition of students' work at the Belfast College of Technology yesterday, the Marquis of Londonderry, Minister for Education, said that that day the county boroughs in Northern Ireland entered upon a new phase of civic activity—the Belfast Corporation and the Londonderry Corporation assumed full responsibility under the Education Act for the local administration of all forms of education within their areas.

"This," he declared, "is an historic day for public education in Ireland, not only in Ulster, but in the whole of this country, because an event of such importance will be closely watched in every part of Ireland. . . . With every step the Education Committees are creating a precedent, and I ask their fellow-citizens not to be impatient, not to expect everything to be put straight at once, but to let those who are making a start upon the new system lay the foundations truly and well."

Reviewing the work of the past two years, Lord Londonderry said that he was happy to state that the Ministry had established the friendliest relations with managers and teachers in all schools of every creed and class. They had raised the secondary teachers to a financial position comparable with that of their fellow-teachers in Great Britain. The salaries of the teachers in technical schools were under consideration. A training school for teachers had been opened in Belfast. Finally the Education Act had been passed.

DECENTRALISED.

"By the Education Act we have decentralised our public system of education; we have given the people of Ulster charge of their own educational destinies.

"On the religious controversy which has arisen over the Act I will now say no more than this—we in the Government are as anxious and as determined that religious instruction shall form part of the education of the children of this province as are those who oppose the Act. Neither we nor our opponents desire that teachers should be compelled to give religious instruction. We are all agreed that the spirit of such instruction is more important than the letter, and that it must be given from the heart if it is to be effective. Neither we nor our opponents intend to hand over the youth of the province to atheists or to men who make light of religion. We are at one with the Churches in our desire for the religious upbringing of the children. (Applause.)

"We are a religious people, and I refuse to believe that we have endangered the cause of religion in Ulster by entrusting to the people of Ulster the religious destiny of her children. We trust the teachers; we believe that, freely as in the past, they will continue to give religious instruction in the schools. We have faith in the local committees we have set up, to whom we have given the sacred charge of the supervision of the welfare and education of the coming generation.

SPIRIT OF SYMPATHY.

"I feel no bitterness because of the attitude of the opponents of the Act. I know that they have taken up their position for high and conscientious reasons, but I believe that we shall come together before long, and that the Education Act will be successful by reason of the spirit of sympathy in which it is worked. The old system under the Commissioners was successful because of the spirit of compromise in matters religious which animated those who worked it, and I see no reason to doubt that we can count upon the same spirit of tolerance and good-will when the new system under the Education Act is in operation.

"As to the purpose of the Act, I think it may be well described by a quotation from a speech made the other day by Mr. Henderson, the Imperial Home Secretary. He was speaking of this Act, but his words aptly describe the attitude of our own Government in the matter of public education. He said:—

"'The Government has laid down the fundamental principle that the right to education is one that ought to be independent of economic status or class distinction. I hold that every child ought to have the fullest opportunity of obtaining a proper education, irrespective of the position of its parents. The poorer the parents, the more urgent is the need of providing educational facilities for the child. . . . We shall make political democracy effective by making it, in the truest and best sense, an educated democracy.'

"Those are the aims of the Government, and that is what we hope to effect by our Education Act." (Applause.)

BELFAST AND ULSTER DIRECTORY.

A USEFUL REFERENCE BOOK.

The 1924, or forty-fourth, volume of the "Belfast and Ulster Directory" (compiled at the offices of the *Belfast News-Letter*) is now available. It contains nearly 2,000 pages, and is divided into five main sections—a street and village directory, an alphabetical directory, and full lists of local institutions, professions, and trades, and Ulster counties and towns. To every section there is a compendious index, and the volume is so got up (in character it is not unlike Thom's) that the finger can be inserted with ease at any desired section.

Certain alterations and improvements were deemed necessary to bring the publication entirely up-to-date. These have received attention, and the "Belfast Directory" now contains, without exception, the names of all residents of whom the business man might require to have knowledge. In an appendix a complete list is given of recent removals of inhabitants and additions to the populace, and a record is made of all deaths that occurred during the printing of the volume.

The section dealing with towns and counties in Ulster, of which the publishers have made a feature, has been carefully revised, and made complete. It covers 480 pages (roughly one-fourth of the volume), and gives, in concise and attractive form, all essential particulars. Altogether, the "Belfast and Ulster Directory" is one of the most complete works of its kind which we have seen. It is admirably bound, clearly printed, and serves as an excellent book of reference.

GRAVES AT SAN REMO.

We are asked to state that a society has been formed by the residents of San Remo to undertake the care of the graves of British and American subjects buried in the Italian cemetery. Many of these graves have fallen into disrepair, and a fund has been started to put them in order. Some of them bear Irish names. The Committee appeal to former residents and visitors to San Remo and to relatives of any of those buried in San Remo to contribute to this fund.

The Committee will also, for a fee, keep in order any grave and communicate with the relatives as to the condition of any grave in which they may be interested. Donations will be received gratefully by the British Vice-Consul, San Remo, or by the Honorary Secretary, Mrs. Cecil Smith, Morandi's Hôtel, San Remo, Italy.

MUNICIPAL COAL DEPOTS.

The Belfast Corporation yesterday received a deputation from the District Committee of the Federation of Engineering and Shipbuilding Trades, which urged it to seek power to establish municipal coal depôts. The depôts, it was suggested, could be worked in conjunction with the gas works, and thus a supply of cheap coal could be ensured to the poor. The matter was referred to the General Purposes Committee.

COOKSTOWN FIRE.

Fire broke out in a dentist's room over Conway's ironmongery store, William street, Cookstown, early yesterday morning. The fire brigade prevented the flames from spreading to other parts of the house, but the room in which the outbreak occurred suffered considerable damage.

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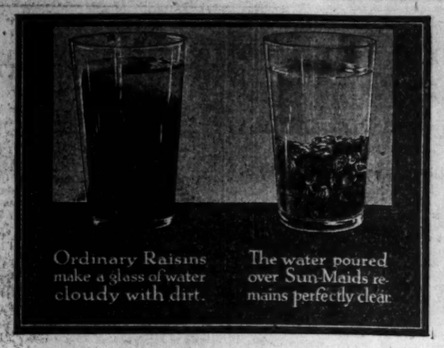

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SHORT-LIVED STATE OF EMERGENCY.

The proclamation, signed at the Privy Council last Friday, declaring a state of emergency owing to the withdrawal of London transport services, was published in last night's *London Gazette*, together with another proclamation, signed yesterday, revoking it.

THE CHURCH OF IRELAND.

The Archbishop of Dublin will hold Confirmation in St. George's Church to-morrow at 11 a.m., and in St. Ann's Church next Monday at 3.30.

The Rev. H. Lindsay, Incumbent of St. Bartholomew's, Belfast, has been conducting missions in Liverpool and Manchester.

The Down, Connor and Dromore Cadet Battalion of the Church Lads' Brigade held its annual inspection and drill competition in the Wellington Hall, Belfast, last week. The battalion was inspected by Captain Stopford and Lieutenant McCrae, of the Seaforth Highlanders, and Lieutenant Davies of the Queen's Regiment.

The Rev. J. S. O'Loughlin and the Rev. R. S. Gray have been nominated to act as Sunday School examiners for the Diocese of Cashel and Emly.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

It was announced at a meeting of the Belfast Presbytery yesterday that the Right Rev. Henry Montgomery, D.D., had resigned from the active duties of the ministry. Dr. Montgomery has been a minister for forty-two years. For twenty years he was minister of the Albert street Church, and was then appointed to the Shankill road mission. He was Moderator of the General Assembly in 1912. Yesterday's meeting passed a resolution recording its appreciation of Dr. Montgomery's work for the Church. He will continue to superintend the philanthropic activities of the Shankill road mission.

THE METHODIST CHURCH.

A "forward movement" in connection with the Methodist Church in Northern Ireland was launched at a public meeting in Belfast on Monday. The object of the movement is to collect £100,000 for church extension in the six counties. New churches are required in the Cregagh and Donegall roads, a new hall is required in Fitzwilliam street, improvements are to be made to the church in Donegall square, and the Central Mission should have a larger hall. It was explained to the meeting that during the last forty years the population of Belfast had doubled, and that now the Methodist Church accommodation was insufficient. Promises of sums totalling £16,000 had been received.

M. Roussos has assumed the portfolio of Foreign Affairs in the Greek Cabinet, says an Athens telegram.

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

GOOD SPORT AT WARWICK

FIANNA WINS EASILY.

WOOTTON'S QUARTETTE.

From Our Travelling Correspondent. *WARWICK, Tuesday Night.*

Last week's run of successes scored by Irish horses was continued here this afternoon, when Entangler, a son of Levanger, which a well-known London Irish specialist, Dr. George de Vine, bought cheaply for 250 guineas in Dublin last August from Mr. J. H. Locke, won the Leamington Handicap; and Kojinup, a colt by Honey Bee, out of Tuliola, sold for 50 guineas at the Newmarket October Sales by Mr. Pat Rogers to Mr. R. Brendon, who subsequently passed him on to Stanley Wootton, beat the favourite, Viz, in the Harbury Selling Plate.

This was emphatically Stanley Wootton's day here, for he prepared four of the six winners of the afternoon. They were Ecstasy and Kojinup owned by himself, Entangler and Fianna, the last-named a wonderfully-bred filly by Gay Crusader out of Fifinella, both of which were winners of two of the substitute Derbys run at Newmarket during the war.

It was only in 1919 that Stanley Wootton started training at Epsom on his own account, without any assistance, financial or otherwise, from his father. Success came his way almost at once. Winner after winner came from the Treadwell House stable, and at the close of last season, during which the horses he turned out had a splendid record, he was by general consent recognised as the ablest young trainer of the day.

FIANNA'S FINE PERFORMANCE.

Fianna was the most interesting of his winners here. A very nice filly, indeed, though not a big one, she created golden opinions on this, her first, appearance by the manner in which she struggled on to gain what was in the end a fairly ready victory by two lengths from the Brusna colt, who next to her had the biggest following in the ring. A bright future may be predicted for Fianna, who is very racing-like, as, indeed, she should be, for she is carrying on the line of Sir Edward Hulton's famous brood mare, Silver Fowl, while her sire, Gay Crusader, was undoubtedly one of the best Derby winners of modern times.

PASS THE MINT DISAPPOINTS.

Pass the Mint did not come again as readily as his victory at Lincoln led his admirers, who made him favourite for the Leamington Handicap, expected him to do. He could only finish fourth, beaten a long way by Entangler. This horse has been running over hurdles, and was particularly fit. He threaded his way through his field from the turn into the straight, and gained an easy victory, in the hands of Smirke, by two lengths from Sinnatus, and another length from Golden Feast. Smirke had previously won on Ecstasy, the Love Oil filly of last year, whom Wootton bought for 220 guineas after she had won a race last backend—a great bargain.

Smirke has already made a wonderful start to the season, and there are people who are already tipping this formidable apprentice for the position of premier jockey at the end of this season.

Wootton gave the ride on Kojinup to another of his apprentices, Ingham. His was a fine effort in coming late to get up on the post, and beat Viz. Elliott, on whom Sir Edward Hulton has a claim, was the successful jockey on Fianna. Nothing has been more remarkable this season than the successes of the younger generation of jockeys.

TO-DAY'S CARD.

Part of the Lincolnshire Handicap can be run over again in the Doveridge Handicap at Derby, for half a dozen horses who ran there can renew their struggle. The Baldoyle Derby winner, Irish Hope, who has been in France, but is now in Crawford's charge in England, will not run, and Pondoland, who performed creditably in the Liverpool Cup is also likely to be an absentee. SIR GREYSTEEL, who ran really well at Lincoln, and is favourably handicapped here, seems a very likely winner. Lander, who was second to O'Dempsey at Liverpool, has a good chance in the Quarndon Handicap. The Reclosure filly was very unlucky in being left at the post at Liverpool, but in the Sudbury Two-Year-Old Plate she may find one too good for her in the well-tried TREZUM.

GALTEE MORE.

BETTING FORECAST.

DERBY.

2.0 Race—5 to 4 agst. Kirndance, 3 to 1 Tanit, 9 to 2 Miss Volta, 11 to 2 Gallipoli f., 7 to 1 Castleford, 8 to 1 Ileetem and Trepita, c., 10 to 1 others.

2.30 Race—7 to 2 agst. Murray, 5 to 1 Louveteau, 7 to 1 Desperation, 8 to 1 Procis, 10 to 1 Baytoi, Summer Rose, and Lucentio, 100 to 8 Hornless and Culcavey, 100 to 7 Moss Rose and Twenty-Five, 20 to 1 others.

3.0 Race—11 to 4 agst. Cinch, 4 to 1 Trezum, 11 to 2 Hawtrey, 6 to 1 Reclosure f., 8 to 1 Eva's Choice and Greenhorn, 10 to 1 Santa Bena and Bhopal, 100 to 7 others.

3.30 Race—9 to 4 agst. Sir Greysteel, 7 to 2 Soval, 5 to 1 Colossus, 7 to 1 Bachelor's Fort, 8 to 1 Spun and Torlonia, 10 to 1 Roger de Busli and Anitra's Dance, 100 to 8 Clackmannan and Swinderby, 100 to 7 others.

4.0 Race—3 to 1 Lander, 9 to 2 Quits, 11 to 2 Kallikrates, 6 to 1 Dalblaney, 7 to 1 13th Hussar, 8 to 1 Lord Offaly and Crubenmore, 10 to 1 Naptha and Golden State, 100 to 8 Golden Hair, 100 to 6 others.

4.30 Race—Evens Durobelle, 2 to 1 Clymping, 5 to 1 House of Keys, 7 to 1 Rugeley, 10 to 1 others.

"FORM" HORSES.

DERBY.

2.0 Race—Kirndance.
2.30 Race—Procis.
3.0 Race—Bhopal.
3.30 Race—Sir Greysteel.
4.0 Race—Lander.
4.30 Race—Durobelle.
DOUBLE EVENT—Sir Greysteel (nap) and Durobelle.

A Student of Form.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best—Sir Greysteel. Double—Sir Greysteel and Stuff Gown.

Daily News:—Double — Kirndance and Durobelle.

Daily Chronicle:—Double — Kirndance and Sir Greysteel. "To Beat the Book"—Sir Greysteel.

Daily Express:—Double — Reclosure filly and Spun. Safety bet—Spun (each way).

Daily Mirror:—Double—Kirndance and Sir Greysteel (nap).

Daily Graphic:—Double — Tanit and Sir Greysteel.

Daily Mail:—Special selection — Anitra's Dance.

Whilst competing for the Rathkeale Steeplechase at Rathkeale yesterday, Steel Man staked himself so badly when he jumped the wing of the last fence that he had to be destoryed. He had won a race at Limerick on St. Patrick's Day.

RATHKEALE.

ENJOYABLE SPORT.

A pleasant day's racing was provided at Rathkeale yesterday, and, if fields were not of good strength, there were a couple of interesting races, and the fine weather attracted a big crowd. Gold Label, who was sold after running second to Homeland at Limerick on St. Patrick's Day, carried his new owner's colours to easy victory in the Deel Plate. For this Doctor's Call was a pronounced favourite, but, never relishing the task in hand, he was in the rear throughout.

There was plenty of excitement over the Visitors' Steeplechase, which furnished a rare set-to between Windfield and Golden Cherry, and Mrs. Harty's horse, staying on the better, prevailed by a head. Another exciting finish followed for the Knockawad Plate, in which Rakes of Mallow, the favourite, never flattered. For the last furlong Fergus Spray and Sable Lady fought out a great finish, and it was only by a short head that Fergus Spray gained the verdict. An objection was subsequently lodged, on the ground that the rider of the winner carried a pad, which he did not weight out with, and this was referred to the Stewards of the Turf Club. Nothing turned out to oppose Maidstown for the Rathkeale Plate, and Snow Lough easily accounted for the moderate opposition in the Desmond Cup. Steel Man, one of the runners in this race, jumped the wing of the last fence, and, being staked, sustained fatal injuries. Details:—

2.30—DEEL PLATE of 25 sovs. Second receives 1 sov. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m.
Mr. R. Sheehan's bl. or br. h. GOLD LABEL, by Flying Orb—Blue Label, 6, 10-5 ... J. Meany 1
Mr. James Whelan's DRIFTING PRINCE, 6, 10-4 ... Bresnane 2
Mr. E. Walsh's ERIN REMEMBER, 6, 10-0 ... Mr. G. Smith 3
Mr. D. J. Power's Doctor's Call, 6, 11-5 ... J. Harty 0
Mr. T. J. O'Sullivan's Very Hard, 5, 10-5 ... J. O'Donnell 0
(Winner trained by H. Harty.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. Doctor's Call, 5 to 2 GOLD LABEL, 3 to 1 Drifting Prince, 6 to 1 Very Hard, 10 to 1 Erin Remember.
Drifting Prince settled down from Gold Label, Very Hard, Erin Remember and Doctor's Call, last, until half a mile from home, when Gold Label took command, and won easily by two lengths; three lengths separated second and third. Very Hard was fourth.

3.0—VISITORS' STEEPLECHASE of 25 sovs. Second receives 1 sov. 2 m.
Mrs. H. Harty's ch. h. WINDFIELD, by The Mouse—Ballywellan, a, 11-0 ... J. H. Harty 1
Mr. M. Hayes' GOLDEN CHERRY, a, 10-4 ... J. Meany 2
Mr. G. Ellard's MY JOSEPHINE, a, 9-13 ... Mr. D. O'Gorman 3
Mr. J. Hassett's Southern Chief, a, 9-13 ... P. Hogan 0
Mr. L. Keating's Take Notice, a, 9-13 ... P. Purcell 0
Mr. B. Kirby's Swansey River, a, 9-13 ... Mr. B. Kirby 0
Mr. P. Lynch's Fighting Fit, 6, 9-13 ... J. Quirke 0
(Winner trained by H. Harty.)
Betting—6 to 4 on WINDFIELD, 6 to 1 each agst. Take Notice and Swansey River, 9 to 1 Golden Cherry, 10 to 1 any other.
Take Notice and Windfield made joint running from Golden Cherry, My Josephine, Swansey River and Southern Chief, until a quarter of a mile from home, when Golden Cherry took the lead. Close home, Windfield regained the lead, and, holding Golden Cherry at bay in a good finish, won by a head; four lengths separated second and third. Take Notice was fourth; Fighting Fit was eased up after a mile.

3.30—KNOCKAWAD PLATE of 30 sovs. Second receives 2 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1¼ m.
Mr. James Reidy's b. m. FERGUS SPRAY, by Rathurde—Fergus Foam, a, 9-3 ... J. Meany 1
Mrs. N. White's SABLE LADY, 4, 9-7 ... J. Moylan 2
Mr. R. Power's RAKES OF MALLOW, 4, 10-13 ... Joseph Doyle 3
Mrs. D. Moloney's Pearlmore, 5, 9-10 ... M. Colbert 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—Evens Rakes of Mallow, 3 to 1 each agst. FERGUS SPRAY, Sable Lady and Pearlmore.
Fergus Spray showed in front of Sable Lady, Pearlmore and Rakes of Mallow, to the straight, when Sable Lady joined issue, but failed to get on terms with Fergus Spray, who won a great finish by a short head; three lengths separated second and third. An objection against the winner for the rider adding a pad after weighing out was referred to the Stewards of the Turf Club.

4.0—RATHKEALE STEEPLECHASE of 30 sovs. Second receives 1 sov. 3 m.
Mr. N. Connolly's b. g. MAIDSTOWN, by Barcadaile—Sweet Hack, a, 11-9 ... W. Fitzgerald w.o.
(Trained by Owner.)

4.30—THE DESMOND CUP, value 25 sovs. (presented by the Right Hon. the Earl of Dunraven, K.P.), with 25 sovs. (in specie) added. Second receives 1 sov. A steeplechase. 2 m.
Mr. R. C. Ross's b. m. SNOW LOUGH, by Lochryan—Whitethorn, a, 11-5 ... J. Moylan 1
Mr. James Whelan's TAGUEL, a, 11-12 ... J. Lombard 2
Mr. L. M'Namara's TOILER, 6, 11-5 ... G. Harty 3
Mr. T. Keays' Steel Man, 6, 11-12 ... C. M'Carthy 0
(Winner trained by R. Moss.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. SNOW LOUGH, 2 to 1 Steel Man, 6 to 1 each Toiler and Taguel.
Taguel led from Steel Man, Snow Lough and Toiler, to the straight, when Steel Man took the lead, but fell at the last fence, and Snow Lough, challenging Taguel, won easily by three lengths; four lengths separated second and third.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Sir Ernest Paget, the well-known racehorse owner, who died in December last, left £158,660.

J. Meaney rode two winners at Rathkeale yesterday.

S. Wootton trained four of the six winners at Warwick yesterday—Ecstasy, Kojinup, Entangler and Fianna.

Ilston Cross has succumbed to the injuries he received at Liverpool last week, when he fell in the Stanley Steeplechase.

Mr. Percy Barrett, who won the £10,000 prize in the Liverpool Exchange Newsroom Grand National Sweepstake, had offered to sell his chance, but, it is stated, nobody wanted it.

Owners and trainers should note that entries close to-day for several races at Phoenix Park First May, Leopardstown, City of Waterford, Baldoyle, and Mallow meetings.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

City and Suburban—Earlestown at 9 a.m. yesterday.

Kempton Park Great Jubilee—Roger de Busli, at 9 a.m. yesterday.

Great Metropolitan, Epsom—Light Dragoon, Barker, Chatelaine, and Servance, at 9 a.m. yesterday.

Newbury Spring Cup—Poisoned Arrow, at 9 a.m. yesterday.

DERBY MEETING.
Sudbury Plate—Smoke Screen.
Osmaston Plate—Kate Greenaway.
Chatsworth Maiden Plate—Tamari, Benrhydding.
Chaddesden Plate—Tryst.
Derby Spring Meeting engagements—Glennell, Happy Release, Town Villa, Salopian, Milcroft, Bongphalia, Linby, Mixed Double, Magnum Bonum.
Derbyshire Handicap—Chatelaine, Rose des Vents.
Second Derby engagements—Lomount, Sun Grits.

MISCELLANEOUS.
Torquay Selling Hurdle, Torquay—Stand Aside.
Syston Handicap, Leicester—Telepathy, Embos.
All published handicaps at Chelmsford—More Pride, Telepathy, Bedelia.
Holyport Selling Handicap, Windsor—Martinmas, Dimanche Deal.
Apprentices' Stakes, Ayr—Llanymynech.
£500 'Chase, Manchester—Curragh Breeze.
Jubilee Hurdle Race, Manchester—Major Ray.
Household Brigade Challenge Cup—Best Surprise.
Life Guards' Challenge Cup—Salop.
Household Brigade Handicap 'Chase—Ardnous.
All published handicaps—Trumpeter, Flighty.
All engagements this year—Clearchus.
All engagements—Paulinus, Iturea, Malcontent, Pugnacity, Ilston Cross (dead), Down South (dead), Stratford-on-Avon Handicap Hurdle Race and Team Handicap Hurdle, Uttoxeter—Indian Gauze, Windsor engagements—Scotch Reel.

NEWMARKET TRIALS.

The following trials took place at Newmarket yesterday morning:—

F. Leach, sen.'s, Maple Sugar (H. Leach), 1; Daily II. (F. Leach, jun.), 2. Distance seven furlongs. Won easily.

Sherwood's Sandblast, 1; Retaliate, 2; Houdale, 3; Thalian, 0; Carlam, 0. Distance one mile. Won easily; a bad third.

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Open Heavy-Weight Race.
Sporting Farmers' Race.

Entries close Monday next, April 7th, with J. W. Smith, Raheengrany, Shillelagh.—(Advt.)

LAWN TENNIS.

THE METROPOLE TOURNAMENT.

CANNES, Tuesday.

In the first round of the Metropole International Lawn Tennis Tournament to-day Norman Brookes, the Australian Davis Cup international, and Mdlle. Lenglen beat J. H. Van Alen and Mrs. B. C. Covell in two straight sets, 6-3, 6-1.

TRALEE.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

What with racing on the flat and over hurdles as well as steeplechasing there will be no lack of variety on both days at Tralee, and the satisfactory all-round entry indicates interesting sport on both afternoons. Selections for to-day are appended:—

Killarney Plate—No Worry.
Foxhunters' Plate—Prince Hermian.
Town Plate—Warfate or Carrig Long.
Spring Plate—Popott; if absent, Mart.
Directors' Plate—Empress Forest.
Mangerton Plate—Braemar.

1.30—THE KILLARNEY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2 m. Age st. lb.

PRIZE THORPE (Mr. W. Carver)....Private 5 12 7
SAY (Mr. R. C. Ross)....Moss a 12 2
BRAEMAR (Mr. J. J. Foley)....Moss a 11 12
RED HUSSAR (Mr. Jos. Whelan)....Owner a 11 11
HOMELAND (Mr. D. Moloney)....Moloney a 11 9
RATHEAR (Mr. G. Quain)....H. Harty a 11 8
WISE GIRSHA (Mr. T. J. Taaffe)....Owner a 11 8
HUNTING HALL (Mr. T. Vaughan)..Collins a 11 0
QUEEN OF GYPSIES (Mr. P. F. Adams) Sikes a 11 0
NO WORRY (Mr. C. Blackmore)....Kirwan a 10 13
WHITBY LIGHT (Mr. J. Musker)..Parkinson 5 10 8
RICHMOND (Mr. N. J. Grene)....Moss a 10 5
PEARLMORE (Mrs. D. Moloney)....Moloney 5 10 3
TARBET (Mr. R. C. Ross)....Moss 5 10 2
SMILIN' THROUGH (Mr. C. Prendergast) Owner 5 10 0
SHAUN AROO (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner a 10 0
MELANGE (Mr. W. Watson)....Owner a 10 0
LOMOND LAD (Capt. C. Harty)....M. Harty a 9 13
DRIFTING PRINCE (Mr. Jas. Whelan) Owner 6 9 11
KNOCKNACURRA (Mr. P. Keohane) Owner a 9 8

2.0—FOXHUNTERS' PLATE of 60 sovs. Second receives 5 sovs. A steeplechase. 3 m. Age st. lb.

MARLFIELD (Mr. Boyle)....Owner 6 12 0
GUIDANSTOWN (Mr. Cornelius)....Owner 5 12 0
SWANSEY RIVER (Mr. Kirby)....Owner a 12 0
PRINCE HERMIAN (Mr. Ryan)....Ryan a 12 0
DUNDALK (Mr. Sheehan)....Owner 5 12 0
LORD ABDRAHAN (Mr. Smith)....Owner a 12 0
THADY (Mr. Lyons)....Owner a 12 0
GLASS BREAKER (£100) (Mr. C. Maxner) Owner a 11 0
LOCH FERN (£100) (Mrs. Hyde) Private a 11 0
BALLYHESTON (£100) (Mr. Coleman) Owner a 11 0
MANBY GIRL (£100) (Mr. Mitchell) Owner a 11 0
HOMESTEAD (£100) (Mr. O'Sullivan) Owner a 11 0

2.30—TOWN PLATE of 50 sovs. Second receives 5 sovs. A hurdle race. 1½ m. Age st. lb.

SNOW LOUGH (Mr. R. C. Ross)....Moss a 11 [illegible]
CARRIG LONG (Mr. D. J. Power) H. Harty 5 [illegible]
MINT (Mr. V. R. Carroll)....Owner 6 10 11
RUSTIC BRIDGE (Mr. J. Flynn)....Owner 6 10 11
HEATHERLAND (Mr. A. W. Panton)....Owner 6 10 11
HELSDELITE (Mr. R. G. Revelle)....Brooks 6 10 11
MADE UP (Mr. W. Watson)....Watson 6 10 11
SILVER CREST (Lord Kenmare)....Feore 6 10 11
BLANK CARTRIDGE (Mr. J. Nolan)....Moss 6 10 11
WARFATE (Mr. W. F. Power)....Parkinson 5 10 10
TARBET (Mr. R. C. Ross)....Moss 5 10 10
GRAYSLAND (Mr. C. Prendergast)....Owner 5 10 10
L'MEUR BLEU (Mr. W. Watson)....Owner 5 10 10
NOVELTY (Mr. Jas. N. Whelan)....Collins 5 10 10
PATSY (Mr. J. Nugent)....Nugent 5 10 10
BRIDGHAM COMMON (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 4 10 9
GREENLAWN (Mr. G. Hartigan)....Hartigan 4 10 9
GENERAL ADVANCE (Mr. J. Hogan) Hogan 4 10 9
IRISH MYTH (Mr. J. H. Nicholls)....Owner 4 10 9
MOOR MAIDEN (Mr. R. L. Philpot)....Moss 4 10 4

3.0—SPRING PLATE of 50 sovs., second receives 5 sovs. A flat race. 1 m. 2 f. Age st. lb.

FORBIDDEN FRUIT (Mr. Adams)..Sikes 5 9 9
H., by Surprise—Miss Allaway (Mr. Carver) Private 5 9 7
POPOTT (Mr. Collins)....Collins 5 9 7
LADY FISHER (Mr. Donovan)....Lenehan 5 9 7
KING'S FLIGHT (Mr. Galvin)....Private 5 9 7
HAZELSHADE (Miss Gleeson)....Gleeson 5 9 7
TAFFY LAND (Mr. G. Hartigan)....Hartigan 5 9 7
PRECEPT (Mr. Hogan)....Hogan 4 9 7
COUNT VOLTA (Mr. M'Grath)....Private 6 9 7
MISS MORELLA (Mr. O'Brien)....Owner 5 9 7
MAY-EVE (Mr. Kelly)....Doyle 4 9 7
BACHELOR'S AUNT (Mr. Power)....Private 6 9 7
HELSDELITE (Mr. Revelle)....Brooks 6 9 7
ORBIGNY (Lord Kenmare)....Feore 4 9 7
PROVINCIAL BOY (Mr. Prior-Kennedy) Adams 4 9 7
UREGARE (Mr. Dubig)....Private 6 9 7
FARAMELLE (Mr. Fitzgerald)....Private 6 9 7
BRILLIANTINE (Mr. Forrest)....Private 6 9 7
MINTMORE (Major Furnell)....Private 3 9 0
REDCAR (Mr. Grene)....Moss 3 9 0
HOP ON (Mr. Kirby)....Bell 3 9 0
FIGHTING LIGHTS (Mr. O'Keeffe) Collins 3 9 0
MERRION STRAND (Mr. O'Ryan) Parkinson 3 9 0
LOVE GIFT (Mr. Parkinson)....Parkinson 3 9 0
POMME-DE-GUERRE (Mr. Sheehan) Owner 3 9 0
PURE GATE (Mr. White)....Moss 3 9 0
MART (Mr. Quain)....Harty 3 9 0
SOPRON (Mr. P. J. Hartigan)....Hartigan 3 9 0

3.30—THE DIRECTORS' PLATE of 60 sovs., of which the second will receive 10 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m. Age st. lb.

GLEN BEAGH (Mr. J. Meade)....Moloney 6 12 7
BALLINACURRA BOY (Mr. W. J. Madden) Moloney a 12 3
BRENDAN'S GLORY (Mr. D. Quinlan) Cunningham a 11 11
EMPRESS FOREST (Mrs. M. Callaghan) Collins a 11 6
WOO WHOOP (Mr. D. P. O'Brien)....Owner a 11 5
WINDFIELD (7lb. ex.) (Mrs. H. Harty) H. Harty a 11 3
POLISH PRINCE (Mrs. D. Meloney) Moloney a 10 12
PILLOW SLIP (Mr. T. Singleton)....Brooks a 10 12
NORA (Mr. Stafford Delmege)....Owner a 10 9
LATAKIA (Lord Kenmare)....Feore a 10 8
SNOW LOUGH (7lb. ex.) (Mr. R. C. Ross) Moss 6 10 8
TAGUEL (Mr. Jas. Whelan)....Owner a 9 10
BENNETT'S BRIDGE (Mr. E. Foshin) Prendergast 6 9 10

4.0—THE MANGERTON PLATE of 80 sovs., of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 2 f. Age st. lb.

RATHCOOLE (Mr. G. Quain)....H. Harty a 12 12
BRAEMAR (Mr. J. J. Foley)....Moss a 12 0
RAKES OF MALLOW (Mr. R. Power) Doyle 4 11 8
AVLONA GROSVENOR (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 5 11 5
LILLIAN L. (Mr. J. H. Nicholls)....Owner 5 11 5
BRIDGHAM COMMON (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 4 10 10
SPEIR BEAN (Mr. J. Taaffe)....Owner 5 10 5
GEORGE'S NANCY (Mr. T. Horgan)....Owner 5 10 0
NABACLEIS (Mr. T. Nunan)....Owner 5 10 0

HUNTING.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE WARD UNION.

Date—April	Meet.	Hour
To-day	Larch Hill	1.30
Saturday, 5	Palmerstown	1.30

THE MEATH.

Thursday, 3	Lake View, Mullagh	11.30
Saturday, 5	Slane Castle	11.30

CHANGE OF MEET.

MEATH HOUNDS.

Monday, April 7th — Drumconrath instead of Aclare.

WATKINS, 77 and 78 DAME ST., DUBLIN.—Hunting, Polo and Racing Bootmaker and Legging Specialist. Boots to measure in one week.

THE BOAT RACE.

A FULL DAY'S WORK.

Both crews were given good hard work yesterday, and both pleased their supporters, improvement being noticeable in both boats. Oxford did little in the morning beyond paddling and practising a few starts, but in the afternoon they had a bridge to bridge trial—Hammersmith to Putney—on the ebb tide. They started with a strong Leander eight at 37 for the full minute, giving Leander a length, and clearing them in a minute and a half. They dropped to 30 and 28, and then raced with a Thames eight from the mile post. Sporting well, they completed the distance in 7 mins. 45 secs.—a fast time considering they had a head wind against them. Although 25 secs. outside the record, it was altogether a good performance.

Cambridge in the morning paddled to Hammersmith Bridge and rowed to Chiswick steps. Starting at 34, and never dropping below 32, there was plenty of life throughout the boat, although the time, 3 mins. 48 secs., was 2 secs. worse than Oxford's for the same distance last week. In the afternoon Cambridge were afloat with a Vesta crew, and, paddling to Hammersmith, had a two minutes row, giving the scratch crew three-quarters of a length start and clearing them in a minute and a half.

MOTOR CYCLING.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY SPEED TRIALS.

The Committee of the Dublin University Motor Cycle and Light Car Club have made the following awards in connection with the flying kilometre speed trials held at Ballyogen road on Saturday last:—

Silver Cups (solo)—R. B. Le Fanu (250 c.c.); R. B. Le Fanu (350 c.c.); J. B. Burney (600 c.c.); R. W. O'Sullivan (unlimited). Sidecar classes—J. A. Carvill (600 c.c.), J. A. Carvill (unlimited).

Silver Medals—R. Humphreys (250 c.c.); T. F. Slevin (350 c.c.); T. E. Greene (600 c.c.); J. G. Barney (unlimited). Sidecar classes—D. Allen (600 c.c.); D. Allen (unlimited).

Bronze Medals—R. H. Hill (250 c.c.); R. W. O'Sullivan (350 c.c.); F. A. Wallen (600 c.c.); T. E. Greene (unlimited). Sidecar classes—J. Walker (600 c.c.); F. McMullen (unlimited).

Club Event—W. Colgan, silver medal; L. A. W. Orr, bronze medal; H. G. Tyrrell-Smith, third prize.

Silver cup for fastest time of day—F. A. Wallen.

The Committee have decided to disqualify one of the competitors for riding to the danger of the spectators and other competitors, and to report him to the Southern Centre of the Motor Cycle Union of Ireland.

In connection with the times, it may be mentioned that D. Allen (3½ h.p. Norton and sidecar) won the tie for second place in the 600 c.c. class. His best time was 1 1-15 sec. better than that of the next fastest competitor in the sidecar class.

WARWICK RESULTS.

2.0—MILVERTON 3-Y.O. HANDICAP, £350. Second £35, third £10. 1 m.
Mr. S. Wootton's b. f. ECSTACY, by Volta—Love Oil, 8-11 ... C. Smirke 1
Mr. D. Fraser's POMME ROYALE, 8-5 ... M. Beary 2
Mr. J. Sharples' SWAN MATCH, 8-6 ... C. Elliott 3
Also ran—Heron (Donoghue), Equity (E. Jones), Fair Charlotte (Perryman), Midnight Folly (J. McGloughlin). Off 2.2. (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—Evens Pomme Royale, 5 to 2 agst. ECSTACY, 6 to 1 Heron, 7 to 1 Swan Match, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by a length; a head.

2.30—HARBURY T.Y.O. PLATE (S.), £150. 5 f.
Mr. Wootton's b. c. KOJINUP, by Honey Bee—Tuliola, 8-9 ... S. Ingham 1
Mr. D. Fraser's VIZ, 8-8 ... M. Beary 2
Mr. H. Cottrill's TOUJOURS PRET, 8-8 ... M. Jones 3
Also ran—Beck and Call colt (G. Smith), Don Pablo (Bezant), Jhansi geld. (F. Lane), Blue in Blue filly (Hulbert), Grape Shoot filly (Smirke). Off 2.31. (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—7 to 1 agst. Viz, 100 to 30 Kojinup, 4 to 1 Grape Shoot filly, 5 to 1 Toujours Pret, 6 to 1 each Jhansi geld. and Beck and Call colt, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by a head; four lengths.
The winner was bought in for 130 gns.

3.0—HATTON HANDICAP (S.), £200. Second £10. 1 m. 3 f.
Mr. W. Needham's br. c. REPAID, by Diadumenos—Perdona, 5, 9-1 ... Herbert 1
Mr. E. Humphrey's POLYDEUCES, 4, 7-10 ... J. McLoughlin 2
Mr. J. Reardon's DOMINICAN, 4, 7-10 ... Strett 3
Also ran—Plus Fours (Wragg), Spicey (Donoghue), Scotch Reel (L. Butchers), Flying Simon (G. Walsh), Tonio (E. Jones), Darkness (G. Richard), Hat Rack (Redfern), Blink Boy (F. Fox), Tetters (J. Kenny). Off 3.1. (Winner trained by Saxby.)
Betting—7 to 2 agst. Darkness, 5 to 1 each REPAID, Spicey and Dominican, 10 to 1 Plus Fours, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by two lengths; three lengths.
The winner was bought in for 185 gns.

3.30—LEAMINGTON HANDICAP STAKES, £200 added. Second £35, third £15. 1 m. 2 f.
Mr. G. de Vine's br. g. ENTANGLER, by Levanger—Entanglement, 4, 7-13 ... C. Smirke 1
Major Cayzer's SINNATUS, 4, 8-0 ... F. Fox 2
Mr. E. Gregory's GOLDEN FEAST, 4, 6-12 ... James 3
Also ran—Campbell Kid (Donoghue), Pass the Mint (H. Beasley), Unai (G. Richard), Red Ronald (G. Smith), Pola (F. Lane), Woolley Bridge (T. Weston). Off 3.31. (Winner trained by Wootton.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Pass the Mint, 4 to 1 ENTANGLER, 9 to 2 Sinnatus, 8 to 1 Woolley Bridge, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by two lengths; one length.

4.0—GROVE PARK T.Y.O. PLATE, £200. Second £20, third £10. 5 f.
Sir E. Hulton's b. f. FIANNA, by Gay Crusader—Fifinella, 8-9 ... C. Elliott 1
Mr. A. J. Ash's BRUSNA C., by Jackdaw, 8-12 ... J. Leach 2
Mr. F. Pratt's CHINESE ROCKET, 8-9 ... G. Bezant 3
Also ran—Ridgeway (F. Lane), Blinks (F. Fox), Bosambo (Donoghue), Prophet's Mark (T. Weston), Rosalie filly (G. Smith), Estrellita filly (H. Beasley), Jade (E. Jones). Off at 4.3. (Winner trained by Wootton.)
Betting—9 to 4 agst. FIANNA, 7 to 2 Brusna colt, 5 to 1 Bosambo, 6 to 1 Chinese Rocket, 7 to 1 Estrellita filly, 8 to 1 Prophet's Mark, 10 to 1 Ridgeway, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by two lengths; same.

4.30—APPRENTICES' STAKES, £100 added. Second £10, third £5. 1 m. 3 f.
Sir C. Hyde's br. c. DARK FOX, by Son-in-Law—Radegonde, 3, 8-2 ... N. Stack 1
Lord Woolavington's BRANCE, a, 7-9 ... Woolmer 2
Mrs. S. Whitburn's IMPRUDENCE, 3, 6-11 ... J. Donnelly 3
Also ran—Ashtray (Fortescue), Aurelius (H. Dunk), Tower Hill (J. McLoughlin), Manister Flier (C. Morgan), Gabelia (Jarrett), Glen Galante (Pick), Schoolgate (H. Bryan). Off at 4.30. (Winner trained by Scobie.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. DARK FOX, 5 to 1 Glen Galante, 6 to 1 each Tower Hill and Imprudence, 10 to 1 each Brance and Schoolgate, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by four lengths; two lengths.

SEDGEFIELD.

YESTERDAY'S RETURN.

2.0—LAMSTON HANDICAP HURDLE.
FRIZBURY (2 to 1) ... Major Wilson 1
THE CUBAN (5 to 2) ... Mr. W. J. Bellerby 2
SNAKE ASH (5 to 1) ... Owner 3
Six ran.

2.30—HARDWICK SELLING H'CAP HURDLE.
GUY AGNEW (5 to 1) ... G. Goswell 1
DEBRETT (2 to 1) ... J. M'Kay 2
KING OF TROY (5 to 4) ... F. Croney 3

3.0—SEDGEFIELD H'CAP STEEPLECHASE.
LITTLE QUAKER (6 to 1) ... Mr. J. C. Cockton 1
DARE ALL (6 to 1) ... W. Thatcher 2
CAGE (10 to 1) ... W. Hammett 3
Ten ran.

3.30—MORDON HURDLE.
EAGLE'S TAIL (6 to 1) ... C. Boulton 1
BRIGHT NEWS (10 to 1) ... Mr. J. C. Cockton 2
GAY COSTER (6 to 1) ... G. Goswell 3
Eleven ran.

4.0—WYNYARD STEEPLECHASE.
HERMOCLES (7 to 2) ... G. Goswell 1
BIG BERTHA (3 to 1) ... W. Hammett 2
TALLOW KNIGHT (10 to 1) ... F. Mullen 3
Ten ran.

4.30—LONDONDERRY (MEMORIAL CUP) STEEPLECHASE.
CRAWLEY MARIGOLD (5 to 1) ... Mr. Davidson 1
CAUTIOUS JOKER (10 to 1) ... W. Bell 2
CRAWLEY DANDY (10 to 1) ... A. Thompson 3
Eight ran.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

2.0—SANDS SELLING STEEPLECHASE of 80 sovs. 2 m.

	Age.		Age.
Lord Clifton	a	Hermocles	5
Dibbinsdale	a	Sweet Auburn II.	5
Camelot	a	Arabian Knight	a
Golden Fleece	a	Ypres II.	a
Smashaway	a	Meyskil	a
Moorefield	a		

2.30—FISHBURN SELLING HURDLE RACE of 90 sovs. 2 m.

	Age.		Age.
Golden Daisy	a	Anarchist	a
Bilsthorpe	a	Successor	a
Wintringham	a	Master Shepherd	6
Acrocephalus	a	Ireland Green	5
Danegelt	a	Stand Aside	5
Jabeday	a	Guy Agnew	a
Maureen	6	Frizbury	a
Manly Boy	a	Bold Theo	4
Rosherville	a	Eison	a
Lucky Prince	a	Konky	a
Bushey Lightfoot	a	Gay Coster	4

3.0—WINDLESTONE OPEN HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

	Age. st. lb.		Age. st. lb.
Laird's Birthday	a 12 7	Octabella's Pride	5 11 5
Kilnwick	5 12 3	Pivotal	a 11 5
Marcia	a 12 3	Vale of Realm	a 11 4
Snake Ash	a 12 3	Lacrosse	a 11 1
George Crag	a 11 12	Easy Access	a 11 1
Wise Prince	6 11 12	Garrett	6 11 1
Honeycomb	6 11 11	Credentials	6 11 0
Ireland Green	5 11 11	Magova	5 11 0
The Cuban	a 11 10	Kingthorpe	5 10 10
Happy	6 11 8	Kilgubbin	a 10 7
Phantom Willie	6 11 8	Stellation	5 10 5
Murky Past	5 11 6	Guy Agnew	6 10 5
		Young Heroine	4 10 0

3.30—BISHOP MIDDLEHAM HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 90 sovs. 2 m.

	Age. st. lb.		Age. st. lb.
Always Ready	a 12 7	Paythorne	a 11 13
Longworth	a 12 2	King of Troy	a 11 13
Easy Access	a 12 2	Rust II.	6 11 12
Roi Rouge (late Princeling)	a 12 2	Fool Proof	a 11 12
Big Bertha	6 12 1	Foxhound	5 11 11
Bassinette	a 12 0	Bravo	a 11 8
The Skipper III.	a 12 0	Caplan	a 11 3
		Goldflake	6 11 2

4.0—SHERATON HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 90 sovs. 2 m.

	Age. st. lb.		Age. st. lb.
Keep Cool	a 12 7	Cornet of Horse	6 11 4
Honeycomb	6 12 4	Jean Ainslie	5 11 3
Capdina	5 12 3	Santa	6 10 12
Lady Rose	5 12 3	Rosemary	4 10 11
Black Miner	6 12 0	St. Cormac	4 10 7
Longdon	a 11 10	Gay Coster	4 10 7
Dutch Doll	6 11 8	Pablo	4 10 7
Chetnole	a 11 8	Hillthorpe	4 10 7
Braxina	a 11 5	Wintry Weather	6 10 4
Forceful	4 11 5	Niugnep	6 10 3
Dare All	a 11 5	Good Opinion	6 10 0
Lucky Prince	a 11 4	Baronscourt	4 10 0

4.30—FOXCATCHERS' OPEN HUNTERS' HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 3 m. 250 yds.

	Age. st. lb.		Age. st. lb.
Ypres II.	a 12 7	Roi Rouge (late Princeling)	a 11 7
Ilston Cross	a 12 7	Ponceau	6 11 7
Thrown In	a 12 5	Command	a 11 4
Major II.	a 12 3	Wild Laird	a 11 4
Outed	6 12 0	Meyskil	a 11 3
Mr. Jolly	a 11 10	Cage	a 11 0
Knockderk	a 11 8		

HOCKEY.

LEINSTER LADIES' HOCKEY UNION.

SENIOR LEAGUE.

	Goals.		Goals.
Old College	8	Alexandra College	1
Monkstown	5	Dublin University	3

MIDDLE LEAGUE "A."

Maids 2nd B	w.o.	Newcomes	scr.

MIDDLE LEAGUE "B."

Old College 2nd	3	Antiquity	1
Victoria	3	Civil Service	0

MIDDLE LEAGUE "C."

Pembroke Wand.	2	Trefoil 2nd	1

JUNIOR LEAGUE "A."

Triginta 3rd	10	University 3nd	0
Trefoil 3rd	6	Muckross 3rd	2

JUNIOR LEAGUE "B."

Rutland High School	2	Antiquity 2nd	0

JUNIOR LEAGUE "C."

Monkstown 3rd	5	Triginta 4th	0

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

SENIOR LEAGUE.
Optimists v. Old College. Claremont road, 3 p.m.
MIDDLE LEAGUE "B."
Victoria v. College of Surgeons. Temple Hill, 3.45 p.m.

SENIOR LEAGUE.
Dublin University v. Railway Union. Park avenue, 3.15 p.m.
CLUB MATCH.
Royal College of Surgeons v. C.I.T.C. Kimmage road, 3.15 p.m.
WHITE CUP FINAL.
Queen's University II. (Ulster) v. Monkstown II. (Leinster). Trinity Hall, Dartry road, 3 p.m.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Dublin University—R. A. Heatley; J. H. Tuke, W. A. Packham; M. D. Fox, W. L. Connell, G. H. Seiller; J. M. Eyre, J. A. Leonard, G. M. Fletcher, W. P. MacDonogh, W. R. Acheson.

Railway Union—L. Ryan; K. Browner, K. Downey, E. Short; W. Chiddick (capt.), J. Ryan; T. Browner, C. Sully, V. Sully, H. Sully, P. Gillespie.

DERBY.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

The Spring racing fixtures on the Derby Recreation Ground invariably supply a fair amount of interesting sport, and I see no reason to think that intending visitors to the meeting this week will be in any way disappointed, unless it is with the weather conditions, which at the moment are very unsettled. In view of the fact that several Lincolnshire Handicap disappointments are due to contest the Doveridge Stakes to-day, I am anticipating a fine race for this popular mile "Scurry," for a scurry it is, over one of the fastest eight furlongs in the country. I have a fancy for Pondoland here, and if De Mestre is satisfied with the line that he has of Sir Greysteel through Evander that Pondoland can beat the North country horse the issue should hardly be in doubt, providing that both strike off favourably. I recognise the claims of Doric (J. Childs), who has greatly pleased the Newmarket horsewatchers lately, so it is said. There is "class" on the side of this four-year-old, who, when fit and fancied by his trainer, will win a nice handicap this season. Soval is expected to do better than at Lincoln, and it must be taken into account that he won the corresponding handicap last year. However, I leave the issue to Pondoland and Sir Greysteel, as the lightly-weighted Crubenmore, who ran forward in the Lincolnshire and appears to be greatly fancied for a place here, may be outclassed. Selections:—

Elvaston Castle Plate—**John Bass**; if absent, **Tanit**.
Welbeck Handicap—**Culcavey**.
Sudbury Plate—**Laughing Lady**.
Doveridge Handicap—**Pondoland**; if absent, **Sir Greysteel**.
Quarndon Handicap—**Irish Eagle**.
Drakelow Plate—**Clymping**.

2.0—ELVASTON CASTLE T.Y.O. PLATE, £200. 5 f. st. lb.

TOUJOURS PRET (Mr. H. Cottrill) Cottrill 8 6
MON AMIE G. (Mr. H. Cottrill)..Cottrill 8 6
VIZ (Mr. D. Fraser)....R. Day 8 6
FANCY ME (Mr. D. Fraser)....R. Day 8 6
OLD FRUIT (Mr. D. Gapp)....Private 8 6
JHANSI G. (Mr. F. Gretton)....Morcton 8 6
BECK AND CALL C. (Mr. E. Gwilt)..Gwilt 8 6
BLUE IN BLUE F. (Mr. E. Gwilt)..Gwilt 8 6
COUNTESS OF LEMBERG F. (Lt.-Col. Parkinson)....Reardon 8 6
POLYDBOW G. (Mr. E. Robson)..Robson 8 6
DON PABLO (Mr. J. de Rothschild)..Pratt 8 9
GRAPE SHOOT F. (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan 8 6
KOJINUP (Mr. S. Wootton)....Wootton 8 9

2.30—WELBECK HANDICAP (S.), £300. 5 f. Age st. lb.

LUCENTIO (Mr. G. Baxter)....Gunter a 9 7
HORNLESS (Mr. F. Rhodes)....Flynn 4 9 0
PROCIS (Mr. A. Pennant)....Hogg 8 8 9
DESPERATION (Mr. H. Lines)....Lines 5 8 8
TWENTY-FIVE (Mr. H. Molleckin)..Vasey 4 7 13
CULCAVEY (Mr. C. Kenyon)....Bazley 6 7 12
SAINTLY MAID (Mr. W. Murray) Rooney 5 7 11
MOSS ROSE (Mr. F. Straker)....Bewicke 3 7 7
CHIMPANZEE (Mr. N. Murphy) F. Hartigan 3 7 0
HEAD FIRST (Mr. R. Thorburn)..Spittle 3 7 0
(The above have arrived.)
SUN'S WAY (Ld. Glanely)....C. Marsh 4 9 11
CHARITY LAND (Mr. L. Fattorini) Skelton 5 9 9
HANGING FIRE (Mr. J. Sheather) Gilbert 4 9 5
MY BIRD (Mrs. J. McLaughlin)..Vasey 6 9 3
WELL BELOVED (Mr. J. Aitken) Private 5 9 3
SPONDEE (Mrs. A. Blain)....Spittle 4 9 1
LAKE SUPERIOR (Mr. H. Lines)..Lines 4 9 1
MURRAY (Mr. R. Davison)..E. Piggott 6 9 1
BAYTOI (Mr. G. Barclay)....Barclay 5 9 0
MAPLE SUGAR (Lt.-Col. Birkin) F. Leach 4 8 13
EULOISE (Mr. G. Eastman)....Coldbeck 5 8 12
CLANSMAN (Mr. H. Cottrill)..Cottrill 3 8 10
JOANFAX (Mr. H. Morris)..O'Sullivan 4 8 7
GLENESKAKI (Mrs. Rollinson)..Skelton a 8 6
BLACK EAGLE (Mr. W. Stratton) Stratton 5 8 6
GREEK RUNNER (Mr. W. Halsey) Halsey 6 8 5
SPARTLETON (Mr. A. Harrison) Private 5 8 5
MY RAMBLER (Mrs. Simpson)..Private 4 8 5
STOP WATCH (Mr. T. Bolton)..Private 4 8 5
LBARTES (Miss McKenna)....McKenna 4 8 4
WILD FOX (Mr. Pickles)....Skelton 4 8 4
SON O' SIMON (Capt. Brady)....Brady 5 8 4
NOTORIOUS (Sir H. Randall) G. Sadler 3 8 2
MARY RUFUS (Mr. W. Vincent) Hugh Powney 4 8 2
BEGGAR'S OPERA (Mr. J. Webb, jun.) Private a 8 0
INDISCRETION (Mr. W. Higgs) Higgs 3 8 0
HASTEN HOME (Mr. H. Salrin) H. Sadler 4 7 12
LOUVETEAU (Mr. R. Glasspool) W. Jarvis 4 7 11
LOW LAD (Mrs. C. Stevens)....Stevens a 7 11
ASHE COSH F., by Honey Bee ..Wootton 3 7 10
THE MERCHANT (Mr. F. Kimberley) Bullock 6 7 8
GLEN FYNE (Mr. T. Green)....Green 5 7 8
MADELENLINA (Mr. G. Riddich) Spittle 3 7 7
ROSEBANK (Mr. R. Day)....R. Day 3 7 6
QUARTZ (Mrs. C. Stevens)....Stevens a 7 6
LITTLE TRAITRESS (Mr. G. Smith) Drake 6 7 5
GOLDEN SANDS (Mr. J. Hoyle) Reader 3 7 4
WEST INDIAN (Mr. J. White)....Ward 3 7 3
NAPLES (Mr. T. Walls)....Walls 3 7 2
GREEN PARK (Mrs. Hogan)....Hogan 3 7 0
SUMMER ROSE (Mr. W. Higgs)..Higgs 3 7 0

3.0—SUDBURY T.Y.O. PLATE, £200. Second £30. 5 f. st. lb.

HAWTREY (Capt. Montagu)....F. Hartigan 8 9
SANTA BENA (Col. FitzGerald)..F. Lowe 8 9
FRENCH MARTEN (Mr. H. Molleckin) Vasey 8 9
(The above have arrived.)
SHARP SON (Sir A. Bailey)....R. Day 8 9
GOLDEN EVENING (Sir D. Broughton) Farquharson 8 9
MISS DERWENT C. (by Bethlehem) (Mr. A. Charlesworth)....Private 8 9
LADY KITTY C., by Argos (Capt. Davy) Beatty 8 9
HIGH LEVEL (Mr. D. Crossman)....Pope 8 9
MARGOT C. (by Rich Gift) (Mr. J. Hamer) Bartholomew 8 9
SUIVI (Mr. H. Hirst)....F. Hartigan 8 9
STAMINA (Mr. Sol Joel)....De Mestre 8 9
POLYPEN (Mr. Sol Joel)....De Mestre 8 9
BRYN BOSSETT (Sir E. Hanmer)..Knowles 8 9
BROAD GAUGE (Mr. D. Browning) Rochfort 8 9
AVENUE BOLD (Mr. J. Hoyle)....Reader 8 9
QUICK WORK (Sir R. Jardine) R. W. Colling 8 9
CELLAR GLEN C. (by Rich Gift) (Lady Torrington)....Bartholomew 8 9
FONTAINVILLE (Mr. S. Moore)....Davey 8 9
CASTLE IN THE AIR C. (by White Eagle) (Sir F. Price)....Gilbert 8 9
BHOPAL (Mr. J. de Rothschild)....Pratt 8 9
GREENHORN (Lord Zetland)....Dundas 8 9
AMADIO (Mr. T. Oakshott)....G. Sadler 8 9
FIELD ARGENT (Mrs. S. Whitburn) Cottrill 8 9
CORAL WREATH (Mr. A. Ash) H. Leader 8 6
TURKISH HOLIDAY (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day 8 6
THE CALIPH (Mr. J. Bancroft) Easterbee 8 6
ALPHA F., by Holiday House (Mr. F. Barling)....Barling 8 6
EVENSONG (Mr. M. Benson)..Whitaker 8 6
SEAWEED F. (by Rochester) (Lt.-Col. Birkin) F. Leach 8 6
STOLEN RING (Mr. A. Bontall, jun.)..Earl 8 6
PIP PIP (Sir A. Butt)....W. Jarvis 8 6
RECLOSURE F. (by Fitzorb) (Mr. F. Curzon)....Watts 8 6
SPICULA (Lord Derby)....Lambton 8 6
TAMBORINA (Lord Ellesmere)..J. Dawson 8 6
OBVIOUS (Mr. A. Falcon)....Rintoul 8 6
SANDYFORD (Mr. A. Falcon)....Rintoul 8 6
FANCY ME (Mr. D. Fraser)....R. Day 8 6
JIE TALKS (Lord Glanely)....C. Marsh 8 6
TREZUM (Lord Glanely)....C. Marsh 8 6
VEITIS (Mr. H. Golightly)....Golightly 8 6
HASTY LOVE (Mr. D. Goold)..F. Archer 8 6
CUBA (Mr. J. Harvie)....G. Sadler 8 6
GOLDEN DROP (Mr. W. Higgs)....Higgs 8 6
LADY CANOPY (Mr. W. Higgs)....Higgs 8 6
TARLATAN (Mr. J. Hornung)....R. Jarvis 8 6
LAUGHING LADY (Mr. Sol Joel) De Mestre 8 6
PROPHET'S MARK (Brig.-Gen. Lambton) T. Cannon 8 6
BALLYHURRY (Mr. H. Lawrence)..Gwilt 8 6
ANNIE LAURIE F. (by Bigh Mor) (Lady Nunburnholme)....B.-Rochfort 8 6
BEAUTIFUL KISS (Mr. S. Pickering) Pickering 8 6
LADY MARMION (Mr. W. Redmond) H. Leader 8 6
CINCH (Mr. A. de Rothschild)..Watson 8 6
CYTA (Lady Scott)....S. Darling 8 6
GOLDEN BERRY (Mr. H. Shaw)....Gwilt 8 6
EVA'S CHOICE (Mr. H. Shaw)....Gwilt 8 6
SABINE (Mrs. S. Whitburn)....Cottrill 8 6
LULU (Mr. J. White)....Ward 8 6
CROSS APPEAL (Mr. J. White)....Ward 8 6
HOLY INNOCENT (Lt.-Col. Wingfield) Pope 8 6

3.30—DOVERIDGE HANDICAP, a Sweepstakes, £10 each, £500 added. Second £75, third £25. 1 m. Age st. lb.

SIR GREYSTEEL (Mr. C. Kenyon) Bazley 5 7 10
CLACKMANNAN (Mr. C. Green) C. Piggott 5 7 1
ANITRA'S DANCE (Mr. E. Wigan) Braime 4 6 13
SPUN (Mr. H. Liddell)....Woodland 4 6 11
CRUBENMORE (Mr. T. Edge)..G. Poole 6 6 11
(The above have arrived.)
IRISH HOPE (Mr. A. Macomber) Crawford 4 8 13
PONDOLAND (Mr. Sol Joel)..De Mestre 5 8 11
DORIC (Mr. A. de Rothschild)..Watson 4 8 7
JARVIE (Mr. R. Cohen)....Batho 4 8 1
SOVAL (Mr. F. Curzon)....Watts 4 8 1
DRY TOAST (Mr. R. Davison) E. Piggott 5 8 0
COLOSSUS (Mr. Sol Joel)....De Mestre 4 7 13
ROCK FIRE (Sir F. Price)....Gilbert 5 7 11
BACHELOR'S FORT (Mr. A. Lowry) Hugh Powney 6 7 11
MILTON (Mr. Reid Walker)..C. Doyle a 7 11
ROGER DE BUSLI (Sir J. Robinson) J. Cannon 4 7 9
PANTAGRUEL II. (Mr. J. Colt)..Earl 5 7 8
TORLONIA (Ld. Derby)....Lambton 4 7 8
GOLDEN HERO (Sir A. Bailey)..R. Day a 7 7
CRIMSON DAWN (Mr. C. Kenyon) C. Davis 5 7 6
PORTASTER (Ld. Rosebery)..J. Jarvis 4 7 5
BEAVER (Sir W. Cooke)....Platt 4 7 4
DEFLATION (Sir A. Bailey)....R. Day 4 6 12
TOYOTAMA (Mr. P. Layton) R. W. Colling 4 6 11
KINNAIRD (Mr. B. Platt)..F. Hartigan 4 6 10
KINSMAN (Mr. J. White)....Ward 4 6 10
SWINDERBY (Mr. H. Stobart) R. W. Colling 4 6 8

4.0—QUARNDON HANDICAP, £300; second £10. 1 m. Age. st. lb.

DALBLANEY (Mrs. Bancroft)..Easterbee a 8 2
CRUBENMORE (Mr. T. Edge)..G. Poole 6 8 1
BRIDGE OF DUN (Mr. B. Jeffrey) Earl 4 8 0
GOLDEN HAIR (Mr. J. Bell)....Pope 4 8 0
MARATIME (Mr. H. Molleckin)..Vasey 4 7 12
IRISH EAGLE (Mr. M. Weil) W. Nightingall 6 7 10
13th HUSSAR (Sir J. Harrington)..Earl 4 7 5
VINDICTIVE (Captain Bewicke) Bewicke 6 7 5
DRIVE ON (Mrs. Wells)....Woodland 5 7 3
MAID OF TROY (Mr. C. Kenyon) Bazley 4 7 2
BENEDICTION (Mr. D. Dickson) Coulthwaite 4 7 2
(The above have arrived.)
BLACKLAND (Mr. W. Higgs)....Higgs 6 9 7
HIGHLANDMORE (Mrs. Croft)..Ussher 5 9 5
LINBY (Mr. J. F. Montagu)....Beatty 5 9 2
ROCK FIRE (Sir F. Price)....Gilbert 5 9 1
VALLANT (Major Cape)....K. Darling 5 9 0
LORD OFFALY (Mr. J. Tyrrell)..Coombs 5 8 11
CRIMSON DAWN (Mr. C. Kenyon) C. Davis 5 8 10
BART SNOWBALL (Mr. H. Miller) Clement 6 8 10
LANDER (Mr. Meagher)....McKenna 4 8 9
SOEUR ANNE (M. Eknayan) Bartholomew 5 8 6
MAGIC RING (Mr. R. White)..C. Leader 5 8 0
ENTANGLER (Mr. G. de Vine)..Wootton 4 8 0
WITTOL (Lord Rosebery)....J. Jarvis 5 7 13
QUILP (Mr. J. Harvie)....G. Sadler a 7 12
NAPTHA (Mr. Sol. Joel)....De Mestre 3 7 11
TREVISO (Colonel Story)....T. Leader 5 7 10
THE GLIDER (Mrs. A. James)..Lambton 3 7 9
NOIR (Lady Wernher)....Coulthwaite 4 7 8
QUITS (Lord Penrhyn)....H. Sadler 4 7 8
BLACK MASK (Mr. R. Davison) E. Piggott 4 7 6
LOMOUNT (Mr. L. Brook)....Green 5 7 5
KALLIKRATES (Mrs. T. Carthew) Wootton 4 7 4
WOOLLEY BRIDGE (Mr. H. Rhodes) Coldbeck 5 7 1
PLUMB SQUARE (Mr. C. McQuone) G. Sadler 4 7 0
THE LOUT (Mr. S. Moore)....Davey 5 7 0
GOLDEN STATE (Mr. Reid Walker) C. Doyle a 7 0

4.30—DRAKELOW PLATE, £300. Second £20; third, £10. 1½ m. Age.st.lb.

STUFF GOWN (Mr. S. Wootton) Coulthwaite 4 8 9
DOUBLE COLLAR (Mr. C. Kenyon) Bazley 4 8 6
(The above have arrived.)
RED CONRAD (Mr. D. Crossman)..Pope 5 8 11
DICHA (Lt.-Col. Dansey)....Faulkner 5 8 11
PERISHEEN (Mr. H. Stokes)....Smyth a 8 11
TOWER HILL (Mr. G. Waller)..Smyth 6 8 11
MANKATO (Mr. M. Field)..B. Rochfort 4 8 9
CASTILE (Mr. T. Higgins)....H. Hunt 4 8 9
MAGIC FLOWER (Mr. A. Braithwaite) Vasey 4 8 6
HOUSE OF KEYS (Ld. Fitzwilliam) Dundas 4 8 6
ACTIUS (Mr. W. de Pledge)..F. Leader 4 8 6
GOLDEN BRIDLE (Mr. C. Hellewell) Private 4 8 6
BELLE ALLIANCE (Mrs. Rudd)....Tash 4 8 6
RUGELEY (Mr. F. Gretton)....Morcton 4 8 6
CLYMPING (Capt. Elgee)....C. Leader 4 8 6
LACKEY (Mr. J. Hammond)..Golightly 3 7 2
NO DON'T (Col. Lundgren)....Persse 3 7 2
ROYAL ENSIGN (Mr. W. Lysaght) B. Jarvis 3 7 2
MALWA (Mrs. A. Sadler, jun.)..A. Sadler 3 6 13
MIXED DOUBLE (Mr. J. Cooper)..Beatty 3 6 13
DUROBELLE (Mr. B. Irish)....B. Jarvis 3 6 13
ARUNTIUS (Mr. H. Leader)....H. Leader 3 6 13

SCRATCHINGS.—Welbeck Selling—Meandering, Element. Sudbury Plate—Almond Rock, Golden Thread, Beau Geste. Drakelow Maiden—Acantha.

POINT-TO-POINT.

WESTMEATH HUNT.

THE BARBOUR CUP.

It is questionable if the Westmeath Hunt Point-to-Point meeting was ever attended by a bigger concourse of spectators than that which assembled yesterday at Ardivahan, just outside Mullingar. The hill overlooking the course was black with people, while thousands watched the sport from various other vantage points, and, with the sun shining brilliantly all through the afternoon, it was one of the most enjoyable reunions of hunting men and supporters of hunting held in the Westmeath district for many years.

The strong attraction was, of course, the Barbour Cup, the field for which was representative of nine hunts, including a trio from Limerick, East Galway, and Tipperary, and it was productive of a capital race over four miles of fine hunting country. Rooskey Boy and Locken, representing the East Galways and Tipperaries, respectively, were greatly fancied, but neither was in it at the finish. Mrs. Garahan's Jack achieving a very popular local victory by a length over Mrs. W. Coyle's Glen Eddie. On the first circuit the leader was Take All, with Wild Cast, Eager Lad, Glen Eddie, Rooskey Boy, and Jack well in the fighting line. A little more than half a mile from the end Wild Cast looked like pulling through, but he was out of it coming to the second last fence, where Jack, who always held a prominent position, was sent to the head of affairs to get the better of a rousing finish. There was plenty of grief in the race, which was run at a fast pace, and with a mile to go only half a dozen of the thirteen starters were standing.

There was an even more exciting finish for the Welter Hunt Race between Kilcarty, the property of the Master, Mr. Hope-Johnstone, and Stock Exchange. At the last fence Kilcarty was well clear of Mr. Adamson's gelding, but Mr. H. Kirwan put in a strong finish on Stock Exchange, and was only beaten a short head. The Light-Weight Hunt Race was won by Clarissa, a success that was pretty generally anticipated. Details:—

WESTMEATH HUNT (LIGHT-WEIGHT) SWEEPSTAKES.—Weights, 12st. About three miles.
Mr. T. O'Rourke's b. m. CLARISSA, aged ... Mr. M. C. Ham 1
Capt. J. B. Grant's HOLDFAST, aged ... Mr. J. Cleary 2
Mrs. L. Garahan's BETCHEN, aged ... Mr. P. J. Casey 3
Also ran:—Mr. J. R. Battersby's Little Jimmy, aged, 12st. 7lb. (Owner), Capt. N. Hannan's Light On, 5 yrs. 12st. 7lb. (Owner), Mr. D. McDermott's Merry Baron, aged (Owner), Mr. R. Dowdes' Watch Me, aged (Owner).
Won by two lengths; a bad third.

LIGHT-WEIGHT FARMERS' RACE of £25. Catch weights. About 3 miles.
Mr. T. Casey's ch. g. BALLYHARNEY, aged ... Mr. T. Leavey 1
Mr. C. J. Ham's PORPHYRY, aged ... Mr. C. Ham 2
Mr. J. Brennan's DONACULLAGH, aged ... Mr. P. Scally 3
Also ran—Mr. W. Eivers' Three Leaf (Mr. C. Dolan), Mr. A. J. Kearney's Rustic Beauty (Owner), Mr. P. J. Casey's Raheen Hill (Owner), Mr. J. Casey's Squinlin' Window (Owner).
Won by half a length; a length and a half.

BARBOUR CHALLENGE CUP, value £100, with £100 added (presented by Mr. Frank Barbour). Winner £70, second £20, third £10. Weights, 13 stone. 4 miles.
Mrs. L. Garahan's (Westmeath) ch. g. JACK, aged ... Mr. P. Casey 1
Mrs. W. Coyle's (Ward Union) GLEN EDDIE, aged ... Mr. J. E. Ryan 2
Mr. P. Duffy's (Fingal Harriers) TAKE ALL, aged ... Mr. E. Bobbett 3
Mr. A. P. Pollock's (Limerick) Pishogue, aged ... Capt. Sykes 0
Mr. Hastings Lambert's (E. Galway) Rooskey Boy, aged ... Mr. G. H. Wallace 0
Mr. P. McLoughlin's (Westmeath) Eager Lad, aged ... Owner 0
Mr. T. Levins Moore's (Ward Union) Templar III., aged ... Mr. P. Nugent 0
Mr. P. D. Callinan's (Meath), Wild Cast, aged ... Owner 0
Capt. S. J. Parr's (Meath) Jump, aged ... Mr. H. Kirwan 0
Mr. Harold Clarke's (Bray Harriers) Singing Water, aged ... Mr. F. Clarke 0
Mr. J. J. Ryan's (Scarteen B. and T.) Silver Lad, aged ... Owner 0
Mr. E. Wise's (Tipperary) Lacken, aged ... Owner 0
Mr. T. O'Rourke's (Westmeath) Sleebawn, 5 years ... Mr. C. Ham 0
Won by a length; a bad third. Eager Lad was fourth.

WELTER FARMERS' RACE, value £25. Catch weights over 13 stone. About 3 miles.
Mr. T. Killian's ch. g. AVICKEEN, aged ... Mr. T. Cleary 1
Mr. P. J. Casey's BEARNACREWE, aged ... Owner 2
Mrs. M. O'Neill's THE BELOVED VAGABOND ... Mr. J. H. Wallace 3
Also ran—Mr. J. Casey's Molina (Owner), Mr. H. Martin's Rockfield (Mr. A. Martin), Mr. J. Yourell's Lady Huntress (Mr. W. L. Kelly), Mr. J. Heduan's First Adventure (Owner).
Won by a length; a bad third.

WESTMEATH HUNT (WELTER) SWEEPSTAKES. About 3 miles.
Mr. E. W. Hope-Johnstone's b. g. KILCARTY, 6 years ... Mr. Ryan 1
Mr. B. G. Adamson's STOCK EXCHANGE, aged ... Mr. H. Kirwan 2
Capt. S. F. Purdon's AGHER, aged ... Owner 3
Also ran—Mr. J. McDonnell's Sligo (Mr. Ham), Mr. P. J. Casey's Irishtown II. (Owner), Mr. R. H. Meares's The Despised (Mr. Wallace), Mr. J. Bredin's Vinnie (Mr. Martin).
Won by a short head; two lengths.

DEATH OF MR. JEROME CONDON.

We regret to announce the death, in his 39th year, of Mr. Jerome J. Condon, which occurred at the Mater Nursing Home, Dublin, yesterday, following an operation for a complaint which only developed about a fortnight ago. A valued member of the *Freeman's Journal*, Mr. Condon was very popular with his colleagues in the sporting as well as the lay Press, to whom his kindly disposition, apart from his recognised professional ability, made a strong appeal. He intrusted himself whole heartedly in the work of the Dublin District of the Institute of Journalists, for which he did excellent service, and wholly deserved the compliment conveyed in his election to the position of vice-chairman this year. Mr. Condon was a son of Mr. T. J. Condon, a former member of Parliament for Clonmel, and he leaves a widow and young family to mourn his loss. The funeral takes place tomorrow at 10 o'clock to Glasnevin Cemetery.

RACQUETS.

OXFORD v. CAMBRIDGE.

Oxford gained a decisive victory by three matches to nil in this annual encounter at Queen's Club yesterday. On Monday they had won the doubles match, and yesterday they captured both the singles, after Cambridge had in each case led by two games to love. The results were:—C. S. Crawley (Magdalen) beat R. J. O. Mayer (Pembroke), 3 games to 2—13-15, 14-16, 15-8, 15-13, 15-12.

J. F. Park (University) beat O. M. Robson (Caius), 3 games to 2—7-15, 12-15, 15-2, 15-7, 15-9.

SWIMMING.

SANDYCOVE S.C.

At the annual general meeting (the following were elected officers for 1924:—President—Mr. W. Byrne. Vice-Presidents—Messrs. J. P. Tallon, C. R. Walshe, G. Curtis, L. Tozer, F. Freeman, C. Power, B. Proud, J. Ryan, H. G. Murray, J. Hickey, W. Carroll (sen.), and P. Courtney. Captain—C. P. Kenna. Vice-Captain—W. Fagan. Junior Captain—G. Higginbotham. Committee—Messrs. J. Molloy, T. Molloy, J. Allen, T. Byrne, M. Brophy, W. Carroll (jun.), K. Schormann, M. Hickey and W. Fitzhugh. Delegates to Leinster Branch—Messrs. C. P. Kenna, J. P. Tallon and C. Fagan. Delegates to Referees' Association—Messrs. W. Fagan, J. P. Tallon and C. Fagan. Hon. Handicapper—H. F. Case. Hon. Treasurer—F. Kavanagh. Hon. Secretary—C. Fagan.

A Committee meeting will be held in 2 Middle Abbey street, at 7.30 this evening.

BILLIARDS.

SMITH v. INMAN.

At Sheffield yesterday afternoon Inman was in quite his old form, scoring 1,044 points against Smith's 283. At night Smith heavily outpointed his rival. Inman had breaks of 179 and 94, but Smith's breaks included 92, 412, 110, and 115. Closing scores—Inman (rec. 1,500), 3,623; Smith, 2,272.

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BRITISH PROFESSIONALS IN U.S.A.

PINEHURST, NORTH CAROLINA, Monday.

The following were the scores of the leaders at the end of the first thirty-six holes of the North and South Open Championship, which began here to-day:—Walter Hagen (Detroit), 136; Jock Hutchison (Glen View), 140; Jim Barnes (Pelham), 141; Tom Boyd (Fox Hills), 142; John Farrell (Quaker Ridge), 143; McDonald Smith (San Francisco), 143; Cyril Walker (Englewood), 144; Joe Kirkwood (Australia), 144; Jack Ross (Oyster Bay), 144; Fred McLeod (Columbia), 145; James Ockenden (Raynes Park), 149; Gene Sarazen (Fitnsville), 149; Bobby Cruickshank (Shackamaxon), 150; Arthur Havers (Coombe Hill), 154.

MISS WETHERED DEFEATS MISS CECIL LEITCH.

For some two years a meeting between Miss Joyce Wethered and Miss Cecil Leitch, her predecessor as English Championship holder, has been looked forward to. They were to have met last week at Walton Heath in the first of the meetings of Surrey and Middlesex in the Ladies' County Championship series. Then, however, the battle between Miss Wethered and Miss Leitch had to be postponed owing to Miss Leitch being ill, and the result of their eighteen holes match at Northwood in the return Middlesex-Surrey match yesterday was a win for Miss Wethered by 5 and 3.

Miss Wethered was clearly the mistress of the situation. She could not claim supremacy from the tee, but in the second shots, and on the greens especially, she was vastly superior. On the outward half, in which Miss Wethered won the third and fourth, lost the fifth and became 2 up again at the sixth hole, Miss Leitch, playing heroically, only made one bad shot. That was in the case of her second at the ninth, as she halved that hole despite poor putting. Miss Wethered took the tenth and eleventh in turn, and Miss Leitch gave up the match at the fifteenth, after she had put her second far past the hole and then took two more.

The result of the Inter-county match was a win for Surrey by four games to three.

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE BEAT SCOTTISH UNIVERSITIES.

On singles and foursomes at St. Andrews yesterday, Oxford and Cambridge Universities beat the Scottish Universities by thirteen games to three.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—Saturday, 5th—The Bull Cups. Foursomes by match play, confined to members aged 40 and upwards. Entries in pairs close on Friday at 10 a.m. Competition starts on Saturday at 2 p.m.

DUBLIN PRESS G.S.—Saturday — Arnott Memorial Cup, 18 holes, strokes, at Woodbrook. Arrange partners. 12.45 train, Westland row.

SUTTON.—Ladies' Section—To-morrow—Monthly medal, 18 holes (strokes).

HERMITAGE.—To-day—Wednesday Cup.

KILLINEY.—Ladies' Branch—Silver medal 1923 and 1924—Mrs. Maunsell. American Tournament—Mrs. Maunsell, 1st; Mrs. Tyler, 2nd. March Box—Mrs. Fry, 2 up. Friday next—Semi-open foursomes, bogey. Draws 11.30, 2.30 and 3 o'clock.

WARRENPOINT.—Spoon Competition on Saturday last. Result:—W. Prescott (23), 73; H. C. Campbell (10), 77; H. H. O. Quail (8), 77; O. C. Barry (3), 78.

CASTLE.—The competition for foursomes against bogey on Saturday last was won by M. J. Leonard and J. F. Leonard—1 up. S. McAllister and L. A. Herbert were second—3 down. Next Saturday a qualifying round of 18 holes will be played for the Boston Cup. The first 16 to qualify to play off by match play. Limited to 18 handicap and under.

RUGBY.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Railway Union v. Bective Rangers 2nd. Park avenue, 4.30 p.m.
Old Earlsfort House v. Old St. Stephen's Green. Lansdowne road, 4.45 p.m.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Old Earlsfort—G. Chance; S. Price, M. P. Ruddle, another, B. Lyburn; C. E. G. Nunns, E. N. Guise-Brown; W. Keogh, F. E. Beckett, J. G. Robertson, G. W. Pratt, A. G. Ardagh, S. H. Medcalf, E. Lyburn, R. H. Healy.

Railway Union.—P. Kelleher; R. H. Douglas, H. W. King, G. K. Dagge, M. Stapleton; J. Payne, D. Head; J. T. Dagge, T. Quinlivan, B. Brunner, R. J. Thompson, D. Hayden, W. Calvert, E. A. Heard, M. J. Maher.

ASSOCIATION.

THE FREE STATE AND THE I.F.A.

At a meeting of the Council of the Irish Football Association in Belfast last night, the secretary stated that at a meeting of the delegates on March 24th it was unanimously decided to recommend the Council to notify the Free State Council that they regretted that the agreement entered into between their delegation and that of the I.F.A. delegates was not accepted by the Free State Council.

The Chairman, Captain Wilton, expressed regret at the recurrence of the impasse. The concessions made were quite acceptable to the Free State delegates, but it seemed that those delegates had not the confidence of the Free State Association and the agreement had not been ratified.

On the motion of Mr. T. Chambers, seconded by Mr. A. Donnelly, Belfast Celtic, the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

MONAGHAN COUNTY INFIRMARY.

At a special meeting of the Monaghan County Board of Health, a resolution was passed demanding an inquiry by the Local Government Department into the administration of the County Infirmary for the past two years.

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Irish Times	John Bass; if ab., Tanit.	Culcavey.	Laughing Lady.	Pondoland; if ab., Sir Greysteel.	Irish Eagle.	Clymping.
Sportsman	Kirndance.	Moss Rose.	Reclosure filly.	Sir Greysteel.*	Crubenmore.	Stuff Gown.
Man on the Spot	Kirndance.	Lucentio.	Reclosure filly.	Sir Greysteel.	Lord Offaly.	Durobelle.*
Westminster Gazette	Kirndance.	Lucentio.	Trezum.	Sir Greysteel.	Crimson Dawn; if ab., Lander.	Stuff Gown.
Daily News	Kirndance.	Murray.	Cinch.	Sir Greysteel.	Quits.	Durobelle.
Daily Chronicle	Kirndance.*	Lucentio.	Reclosure filly.	Sir Greysteel.	Dalblaney.	Stuff Gown; if ab., Rugeley.
Daily Express	John Bass; if ab., Kirndance.	Euloise; if ab., Desperation.	Reclosure filly (next best).	Spun.*	Crubenmore; if ab., Lander.	Stuff Gown; if ab., Clymping.
Daily Mirror	Kirndance.	Desperation.	Cinch.	Sir Greysteel.	13th Hussar.	House of Keys.
Daily Graphic	Tanit.	Murray.	Cellar Glen colt.	Sir Greysteel.*	Crubenmore.	Stuff Gown.
Star	Kirndance.	Smoke Screen.	Trezum.	Sir Greysteel.*	Lander.	Durobelle.
Evening News	Kirndance.*	My Rambler.	Reclosure filly.	Sir Greysteel.	13th Hussar.	Stuff Gown.*
Evening Standard	Tanit.	Murray.	Reclosure filly.	Sir Greysteel.	13th Hussar	Rugeley.
Daily Mail	Kirndance.	Maple Sugar.	Eva's Choice.	Anitra's Dance.	Dalblaney.	Stuff Gown.
Times	Tanit.	Murray.	Cinch.	Pondoland; if ab., Sir Greysteel.	Vindictive.	House of Keys.

FINAN[CIAL]

IRISH S[TOCK] EXCHA[NGE]

DUBL[IN]

REVENUE RETURNS. ... VERSION SCHEME ... BUOYANT. BANK[S] ...

There was something ... sensation created by ... revenue statement and ... Loan 5 p.c. conversion ... securities of all kinds res[ponded] ... substantially in conseque[nce] ... pected to further empha[sis] ... financial factors in the si[tuation] ... later Budget considerat[ions] ... calculations.

National Government ... was quiet and dull, b[ut] ... Stock was eagerly sough[t] ... several points. Guinne[ss] ... good, with the Ord. bid ... Pref. finally harder. ... featureless. Home Rai[ls] ... scarcely any alteration. ... Ord. were rather flat, ... remained sellers. A ... were harder. Tobaccos ... turn harder.

Government National ... steady at 97, but the De[c] ... dealt in, fell ⅛ to 97, a[nd] ... Coupon Stock ¼ to 93.

British Funds were b[etter] ... 1/16 to 55 11/16, ⅜; War Loa[n] ... Conversion Loan, 1⅜ to ... to 87¾; India 3½ p.c., ... 2¾ p.c., 1/16 to 58½; dit[to] ... 63. Local Loans quoted ...

The feature in Banks ... 3 to 269 in Bank of ... Munster and Leinsters ... Nationals 19 1/16.

Among Breweries and ... Ord. closed 1/16 better at ... ing at last price, and ... higher at 11¾, after bei[ng] ... Distillers Ord repeated ... Son Pref. 21s., and Du[...] Marconi Ord. eased 4 ... opening at 34s.

Home Rails were ste[ady] ... Western Ord. rose ¼ to ... South-Eastern Pref. ½ ... Southern Ord. repeated ... ditto Guaranteed 65, ... Debs. 74½.

In Tramways, Dublin ... 6⅞, but the 3½ per cen[t] ... to 70½. Provincial Ord ... 2s., but no bid was ma[de] ... In Gas, Alliance fell ...

Drapery Shares were ... Pref. rose 2s. to 71s., a[nd] ... to 5s. 3d., while Hen[...] repeated 10s. 6d. an[d] ... 12s. 3d.

As regards Manufac[turing] ... rose 1½d. to 32s. 10½d ... 50s., while Spinners re[...] Tobaccos rose 5d. furth[er] ... 7 and 8 per cent. Pref. ... Dublin and Wicklow M[...] 10s. A. Armstrong Pre[f] ... or 2s. over the recent ...

In Trading, etc., E[...] fell 1/16 to 8¾ for a broke[n] ... Dwellings fell 1/16 to ... Pref. lost 3d. of the rec[ent] ... Metropole Hotel Shares ... Shell Transports were ... Canadian Marconis real[...]

BUSINESS DONE ...

Transactions for ...

National Loan...(97) 97 ...
Do. Deed......(97½) 97 ...
Do. Instalment ... (93½) 93 x c. ...
Consols...(55¾) 55 ½ ...
5% War Ln.(101¾) 102 ...
Funding Loan.(86¾) 87 ...
Conver. Loan.(75½) 77 ...
5½% Exch. Bonds.*101 ...
Treas. Bonds 1925-35 ... 100 ...
War Bonds 1923...106 ...
War Bonds 1929..*105 ...
2¾% Land Act Stock ... (57¾) 58½ ...
3% Land Stock Act ... (63½) *63 ...
Local Loans ......65 ...
India 3½% ......(62¼) 64 ...
Bank Ireland.(266) 269c ...
Mun. & Lein....(6¼) 6½ ...
National ....(19¾) 19 ...
Dublin Dist...(23½) 23 ...
Dunville ......(11¾) 11 ...
Guinness ...(39¼) *39 ... *40
Do. Pref....(11¼) 11 ...
Power Pref..(21½) *21 ...
Marconi ....(34/14) 34/ ... *33 ...
Do. Canada..(5/1) 5/1 ...
*Odd lot: b...
(Last business done ...

IRISH BAN[K RATES]

Discount ...
Deposit ...

STOCK EXCHANG[E] ...
Mining contango day ...
General contango day ...
Ticket day ...
Account day ...

BELF[AST] ...

Business was quiet ... Exchange. War Loan ... prices, transactions bein[g] ... Consols advanced 1/16 to ... "A" Shares declined ... Shares unchanged at 2 ... 6¼ p.c. Mortgages rep[...] were neglected. Co. ... peated 72½. British A[...] advanced 6d. to 101s ... Tobacco fractionally ... White, Tomkins and ... 3d. to 25s. 3d., and ... at 41s.

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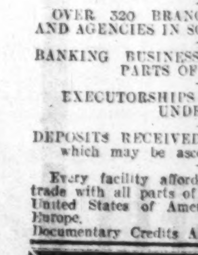

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

REVENUE RETURNS. WAR FIVES CONVERSION SCHEME. BRITISH FUNDS BUOYANT. BANK STOCK GOOD.

There was something like a pleasant sensation created by the year's British revenue statement and the suggested War Loan 5 p.c. conversion scheme. Gilt-edged securities of all kinds responded promptly and substantially in consequence, and may be expected to further emphasise such important financial factors in the situation, provided the later Budget considerations do not upset calculations.

National Government 5 p.c. Sterling Loan was quiet and dull, but Bank of Ireland Stock was eagerly sought for, and advanced several points. Guinness issues also turned good, with the Ord. bid up to 40, and the Pref. finally harder. Marconi Shares were featureless. Home Rails were quiet, with scarcely any alteration. Dublin United Tram Ord. were rather flat, and Provincial Ord. remained sellers. A few Drapery shares were harder. Tobaccos and Textiles were the turn harder.

Government National 5 p.c. Loan was steady at 97, but the Deed Stock, not recently dealt in, fell ⅛ to 97, and the Instalment ex-Coupon Stock ¼ to 93.

British Funds were buoyant. Consols rose ⅛ to 55⅛, ⅜; War Loan 5 p.c., ⅛ to 102⅜; Conversion Loan, 1⅜ to 77⅛; Funding Loan, 1 to 87⅜; India 3½ p.c., 1½ to 64; Irish Land 2½ p.c., 1⅛ to 58⅛; ditto 3 p.c. Stock, ⅜ to 63. Local Loans quoted 65½.

The feature in Banks was a further rise of 3 to 269 in Bank of Ireland Stock, while Munster and Leinsters repeated 6½, and Nationals 19⅞.

Among Breweries and Distilleries, Guinness Ord. closed ⅛ better at 40, after limited dealing at last price, and the Pref. closed ⅛ higher at 11⅜, after being 11¼ earlier. Dublin Distillers Ord. repeated 25s., J. Power and Son Pref. 21s., and Dunvilles 11⅛.

Marconi Ord. eased 4½d. to 33s. 9d., after opening at 34s.

Home Rails were steady. Midland Great Western Ord. rose ¼ to 35¾, and Dublin and South-Eastern Pref. ¼ to 45¾, while Great Southern Ord. repeated 49¾, ditto Pref. 61¾, ditto Guaranteed 65, and Great Northern Debs. 74½.

In Tramways, Dublin United Ord. fell ¼ to 6¾, but the 3½ per cent. "B" Debs. rose ½ to 70¼. Provincial Ordinary were offered at 2s., but no bid was made.

In Gas, Alliance fell ¼ to 7¼.

Drapery Shares were firm. Walpole Bros. Pref. rose 2s. to 71s., and Webb and Co. 3d. to 5s. 3d., while Henry Street Warehouse repeated 10s. 6d. and McBirney and Co. 12s. 3d.

As regards Manufacturing Shares, Calicos rose 1¼d. to 32s. 10½d., and Cottons 1¼d. to 50s., while Spinners repeated 47s. Imperial Tobaccos rose 3d. further to 69s. Lever Bros. 7 and 8 per cent. Debt both realised 20s. 7½d. Dublin and Wicklow Manure Shares repeated 10s. A. Armstrong Pref. were offered at 10s., or 2s. over the recent enhanced bid of 8s.

In Trading, etc., E. and J. Burke Debs. fell ⅛ to 8¾ for a broken lot. Dublin Artisans' Dwellings fell ⅛ to 5½, and *Irish Times* Pref. lost 5d. of the recent advance at 71s. 6d. Metropole Hotel Shares improved to 15s.

Shell Transports were firm at 92s. 6d., and Canadian Marconis realised 5s. 1½d.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.
Transactions for cash marked "c."

National Loan...(97) 97 c. W. Gear.....(65) 65
Do. Deed.....(97¼) 97 Do. Guar.....(65) 65
Do. Instalment ..... B.S.E. Deb.....(43) 43½
.....(93½) 93 x c. G.N. Pref.....(61¼) 61½
Consols...(55⅛) 55 ⅛ ... Do. Deb.....(74) 74
5% War Ln.(101⅜) 102 M.G.W. Ord...(53¼) 53¾
Funding Loan.(86⅞) 87 Dublin Trams...(6) 6⅜
Conver. Loan.(75⅛) 77⅛ Do. B Deb.(70) 70½
5½% Exch. Bonds.*101⅛ Alliance Gas.....(7¾) 7¾
Treas. Bonds 1925-35 ..... Henry Street.(30½) 30½
..... 100½ M'Birney .....(12⅜) 12⅜
War Bonds 1928...106⅛ Walpole Pref.(69½) 71½
War Bonds 1929...*103⅛ Webb (J. H.) (5½) 5¾
2½ Land Act Stock ..... Armstrong (A.) Pf.10½
..... Calicos ....(32½) 32.10½
3% Land Stock Act ..... Cottons ....(49.10½) 50
.....(62¾) *63 Spinners ....(47½) *47½
Local Loans .....65½ Wicklow Manure Pref.
India 3½% .....(63¼) 64 .....
Bank Ireland.(266) 269 Imp. Tob.....(68.9) 69
Mun. & Lein...(64) 64 Lever 7% ...(20.7½) 20.7½
National ...(105½) 106 Do. 8% ...(20.9) 20.9½
Dublin Dist...(23½) 23½ Burtie Deb.....(81) *81
Dunville .....(11¾) 11⅞ Dub. Art. Dwell.(64) 64
Guinness ....(39½) *39½ *Irish Times* Ord. *70
..... 40 Do. Pref...(71½) 71½
Do. Pref...(11½) 11¾ Metropole Hotels 15½
Power Pref.(21) x.-21½ Do. Deb.....(71) 72
Marconi ....(34¼) 34⅜ .....
.....*39
Do. Canada.(8⅛) 8⅛
*Odd lot; b bid, a asked.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Discount ..... 5 p.c. 5th July, 1923.
Deposit ..... 2 p.c. 5th July, 1923.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day.... | April 17
General contango day... | April 22
Ticket day ..... April 21 April 23
Account day ..... April 31 April 24

BELFAST.

Business was quiet yesterday on Belfast Exchange. War Loan was active at higher prices, transactions being done at 102⅜ ⅜ ⅛. Consols advanced ⅛ to 55⅛. Northern Bank "A" Shares declined to 5s 1½d. the "B" Shares unchanged at 2½. Belfast Corporation 6½ p.c. Mortgages repeated 104½. Railways were neglected. Co. Down 4 p.c. Pref. repeated 72½. British-American Tobacco Ord. advanced 6d. to 101s. 6d., and Imperial Tobacco fractionally higher at 68s. 6d. White, Tomkins and Courage Ord. declined 5d. to 25s. 3d., and Dominion Tar closed at 41s.

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LONDON STOCKS CHEERFUL.

THE NEW CONVERSION LOAN.

The Stock markets were again cheerful yesterday, and investment values recorded a further advance under the stimulus of the new conversion scheme and the cheapness of money. General business, however, continued to be small, being the carryover day, while dull spots were so be noted here and there. The tone at the close was below the best. British Funds were very animated, and many substantial improvements were marked. Consols rose 1 to 56. The 4½ p.c. War Loan at 98 gained a point. The 5 p.c. at 102⅜ rose ⅜, the Funding Loan rose 1 to 88, and Victory Bonds gained ½ at 93. The Conversion Loan gained ¾ at 77⅛. Treasury Bonds put on ¼ at 103⅜. Irish Land Stock at 59 gained a point, and Local Loans rose 1½ to 66. India Loans were very firm. The 3 p.c.'s rose 2 at 55, as did the 3½ p.c.'s at 65, and the 7 p.c.'s at 110. The 5½ p.c.'s gained ½ at 101.

In FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES a feature was the strength of French Loans. The Fives put on 1¼ at 23, while the Fours rose ½ to 18. Mexicans were good, the Fives at 58½ and the Sixes at 68¾ both gaining a point. Italian Rentes rose ½ to 21. Japan Sixes of 1924 gained ¼ at 91½. Many Stocks were marked x.d.

HOME RAILS shared in the better tone, and there was an almost general rise in prices. Great Westerns at 108¾ gained ½. London, Midland and Scottish Ord. rose ¾ to 100, while the 4 p.c. Pref. at 79 gained 1, and the 4 p.c. Pref. of 1923 at 78 also rose 1. London North-Eastern Pref. Ord. rose ½ to 82½, the Defd. Ord. gained ¼ at 30½, the 1st Pref. at 78 and the 2nd Pref. at 77 both gained a point. Metropolitans at 76½ and Districts at 52 both rose ½. Southern Pref. Ord. at 82½ rose ¼, as did the Defd. Ord. at 40½. The "A" Stock at 38½ and the "B" Stock at 10 both gained ¼, while the 5 p.c. Pref. rose 1 to 98.

COLONIAL and FOREIGN RAILS were very quiet, the only change of importance being a rise of 1 to 43½ in Grand Trunk Pacific Debs.

OIL SHARES FIRMER.

HIGHER PRICES FOR LEADERS.

A distinctly harder tendency developed in the Oil Share market yesterday, and while there was no pronounced increase in the volume of transactions, except in a few specialities, higher prices were quoted for the leaders and several of the more speculative favourites. A fair amount of selling of international counters was again encountered, there being a large turnover in Shells, which were offered from Paris, while Royal Dutch were sold from Amsterdam. As has been the case on several days of late, no difficulty was met with in disposing of the shares offered; in fact, they were absorbed even more readily than on the preceding day. Royal Dutch came over slightly easier from New York, but nevertheless made a firm start, and while they developed an easier tendency about mid-day, buyers came forward again later, and the day's business resulted in a small advance being recorded. Shells came into good request, particularly in the late dealings, and moved up smartly. Slightly higher prices were also quoted in Anglo-Persians, Burmahs, and Mexican Eagles. Closing prices :—

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12/6 Anglo-Persian 8 p.c. ..... 22/9 +0/1¼
22/9 Do. 8 p.c. 2nd Pref... 22/6 23/0 +0/1¼
— Do. Ord. ..... 22/6 23/0 +0/1¼
9/- Do. 3 p.c. Deb. ..... 30 ⅛ + ⅛
2½ Apex Trinidad 2⅛ 2½
2¼ Attock 2⅛ 2¾
1⅛ Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)... ⅞ 1
8/9 British Burmah (£/-) 8/9
6/10½ British Controlled ..... 6/9 7/0 +0/1½
6⅞ Do. Pref. ..... 8/7½ 8/10½ +0/3
4¼ Burmah 4¼ 4⅜
24/9 Do. 8 p.c. Pref. 24/6 25/0
3⅛ Caltex 3⅛ 3⅜
10/6 Dacia Romana ..... 10½ 11/6 +0/6
4⅞ Eagle Transport ..... 4⅝ 5 +⅛
— Do. 7 p.c. Notes ..... 100½ 101¾ +¼
102 Do. Bearer ..... 100½ 101¾ +¼
5/9 General Pet. Trinidad A. 4/6 5/0 −0/3
— Kern River (10/-) 16/10½ 17/6
6⅛ Lobitos 8⅛ 8⅜
19/9 Mexican Eagle ..... 19/10½ 19/4½ +0/3
18/6 Do. Pref. ..... 18/6 19/0 +0/3
14 1⅝ Do. 7 p.c. Pref. 14/6 14/9
⅝ North Caucasian (10/-).. ⅝ ¾
2/3 Premier Syndicate ..... 1/9 2/0 +0/3
1⅜ Phœnix 1⅜ 1⅝
— Rumanian Consolidated... 11/9 12/3
37/6 Shell Transport ..... 37½ 38 +⅜
4½ Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10). 9½ 10 +⅛
23/10½ Do. 7 p.c. Pref. 23/6 24/0
3/3 Spies (10/-) ..... 2/10½ 3/4½ −0/1½
11/0 Steaua Romana ..... 10/9 11/3 +0/3
7/0 Tankers Pref. ..... 6/6 7/0 +0/1½
— Trinidad Central ..... ⅜ ⅝
1⅛ Trinidad Leases 1⅛ 1⅜
7 4½ United Brit. Trinidad... 7½ 7⅞ +0/3
— Ural Caspian ..... ⅛ ¼
4 1½ Ural Oil 3⅞ 4⅛
1/8 V.O.C. Holdings ..... 1/8 2⅛ + ⅛
1/6 Do. 7 p.c. Pref. ..... 1⅞ 1/7½ +⅛

BUSINESS DONE.
Anglo-Ecuadorian New—51/3, 10⅛d., 50/11½, 1/6, 2/9½, 1/10½, 6d. **Anglo-Egyptian 9**—26/3, 10⅛d. **Anglo-Persian Ord.**—60/7½, 59/6¼, 3d., *9/-, 8/11½; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—22/6, 7½d., 22/9. **British Controlled Common**—6/8½, 10½d., 9d., 11¼d., 9¾d., 7d., 9d., **do. Pref.**—7/1, 8¼d., 4½d., 6d., 8½d., **Burmah**—97/6, 9/4½, 8/11½, 9/4½. **Kern River**—16/10½, 17/4½, *16/9, 17/1½. **Lobitos**—8/4½, 8/6¼, 11/6d., 8/7½. **Mexican Eagle Ord.**—19/-, *18/10½, 19/-, 18/10½; **do. 7 p.c. Pref.**—14/1½. **Phœnix Oil**—20/4½, 10½d., 9d., 7½d., 20/-, 3d., 6d., 6¼d., *20/-, 7d., 9d. **Royal Dutch**—37½, ⅜, ⅜, ⅜

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WE are instructed by the Executors of the late MISSES MacCROSSAN, TO SELL BY AUCTION, on the Premises, on the above dates, the entire high-class Furniture and Effects, comprising, as follows:—Walnut Case Upright, Iron-frame Grand Piano, Piano Player and Records; Velvet-covered Sofas and Easy Chairs, Inlaid Tables, Inlaid Mahogany Music Cabinets, Ormolu-mounted China Cabinet, Boule Card Table, Indian and Brass Jardiniere Stands; Sevres, Vienna and Worcester China Vases, Paintings on China; Axminster and Turkey Carpets, Fleece Rugs; Brass Fire Furniture, Venetian Mirror, Mahogany and Gilt Overmantels, Mahogany Telescope Dining Table, do. Cabinet Sideboard, do. Dumb Waiter, do. Glass-door Bookcases, small Library of Books; Set of Mahogany Chairs, in leather cloth; Gilt Clock Suite, Marble Clock, Bronze Figures, Silk and Tapestry Curtains; Safe by Phillips; Brass and Iron Bedsteads and Bedding; Walnut Bedroom Suite, Mahogany Wardrobes, Cheval Mirror, Chest of Drawers, Duchess Pair; Axminster Stair Carpet, Pine Bedroom Furniture; Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Table Glass and China; also a nice Collection of Silver and Plated Ware.

Sale 12 o'clock each day. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Fees. Admission by ticket to View and Sale, price 1/-.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS,
39 WESTMORELAND STREET.

'PHONES 48 & 49.

ON VIEW THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY). SALE THIS (WEDNESDAY) EVENING AT THE HOUR OF 6 O'CLOCK, IN THE DIVISIONAL AUCTION ROOMS, 8 MERCHANTS' QUAY.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE AND IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
FROM MEREDITH'S PAWNBROKING ESTABLISHMENT, 48 CUFFE ST.

Comprising:—

WATCHES—18 Gold Watches, including Gent.'s Keyless, independent Centre Seconds, by West; Gent.'s Gold Keyless Watches by Chancellor, Waltham and Wrist Watches, 2 dozen Gold Levers.

DIAMONDS and JEWELLERY—3-Stone Diamond Brooch, set in Platinum; Diamond and Sapphires and Diamond and Ruby Half Hoop and Cluster Rings, Diamond and Pearl "Swallow and Heart" Brooch, Gem Set Pendants, Brooches, Lockets, Earrings, Pins, Links and Studs, Gold Cigarette Case, Curb and Long Link Alberts, Bracelets and Bangles.

SILVER—Comprising—Embossed Silver Jug, Mugs, Bowls, Ewers, Cigarette Box, Cigarette Cases, Salts, Spoons, Forks, Ladles, Silver School Set.

PLATED WARE and MISCELLANEOUS—O.S. Teapot, Salver, Cruets, Tray (Gallery), with Biscuitaire, Decanters, Wine Glasses, Entree Dish, Cutlery, Long Range Prism and other Field Glasses, Carved Ivory and Bronze Figures and Groups, Oriental China, Cut Glass, Smith Premier Typewriter, Electric Fan, Musical Instruments, Gramophone, 3 Marble Clocks.

COTTAGE PIANO IN ROSEWOOD, by Broadwood, Chippendale pattern; Grandfather Clock, Rosewood Liqueur and Spirit Frame.

NOTE.—The above Property will be on View at AUCTION ROOMS on THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY), from 11 to hour of Sale, 6 o'clock.

THOMAS GARLAND, AUCTIONEER AND VALUER, **8 MERCHANT'S QUAY.**

66 WELLINGTON ROAD.
TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY NEXT, 8TH & 9TH APRIL, 1924,
AT 12 NOON EACH DAY,
IMPORTANT SALE OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

Pictures, Prints, W.C. Drawings, Miniatures, Waterford Glass, China, Old Irish Silver, Old Sheffield and Electro Plated Ware, Sheraton and Inlaid Dining and Drawingroom Furniture, Appointments of 4 Bedrooms, Dinner, Tea and Breakfast Services, Table Glass, etc., etc.

On View Saturday and Monday, 5th and 7th April, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day.

CATALOGUES TO ADMIT TO VIEW AND SALE, PRICE 1/- EACH, CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE AUCTIONEERS.

Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A., 24 SUFFOLK ST.

MESSRS. HOLDEN'S AUCTION.
WEDNESDAY, 16TH APRIL, AT ONE O'CLOCK.
VERY FINE SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE,
262 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD
(CORNER OF RATHDOWN ROAD). POSSESSION. Long Lease, at £6 per annum. P.L.V. £39.

Substantial, well-built House, situated on the favourite part of this road. Accommodation:—Two sittingrooms (folding doors), breakfast room, 5 bedrooms, servant's room, bathroom (hot supply and hand basin), tiled kitchen (2-oven close range), scullery (hot supply to trough), pantries, hot linen press, coal vault, etc.; wired for electric light throughout; tradesmen's entrance; good garden at rear, with green-house, and back entrance; garden front and side planted with ornamental shrubbery. Clear possession will be given the purchaser.

Can be seen by arrangement with the Auctioneers. Conditions of Sale from PETER M. SEALES, Solicitor, 11 College Green.

Further particulars, etc., from

W. J. HOLDEN & SON,
AUCTIONEERS, M.I.A.A., SAINT ANDREW STREET, DUBLIN

FURNITURE AUCTION THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY) 1 o'c.
AT BENNETT & CO'S., 18 BACHELOR'S WALK.

Furniture, comprising Manufacturer's Stock of several high-class made Bedroom Suites, in mahogany, black walnut, oak and satin walnut, unique opportunity for people furnishing; beautiful Iron-frame Cottage Piano, by Wagner; magnificent Mahogany Sideboards, Dining Tables, Sets of Chairs, Diningroom Suites, Overmantels and Fenders, exquisite designs China Cabinets; Carpets, Occasional Tables, Pictures, Drawingroom Suites, Chesterfield Suites, Arm Chairs, Sofas, numerous Chests of Drawers, Wardrobes, Bookcases, Writing Desk, Fireproof Safe, All-Brass Beds, lot of other clean Beds and Bedding; two large Shop Mirrors, Counter, with mahogany top, 6ft. x 3ft., with drawers, suitable for Tailors; Dress Stands, together with a lot of useful clean Household Furniture.

Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees. Goods on View Morning of Sale.

Auction to Commence This Day (Wednesday), 1 o'clock.

F. BENNETT & CO., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 18 BACHELOR'S WALK. 'Phone 1734.

No. 9 HIGH STREET, DUBLIN.
IMPORTANT SALE OF EXTENSIVE BUSINESS PREMISES
AS ALREADY ADVERTISED
BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
AT No. 16 HAWKINS STREET,
THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY), 2ND APRIL,
AT THE HOUR OF 1.30 O'CLOCK P.M.
HENRY CONNOLLY, AUCTIONEER,
15 D'OLIER STREET.

ROOSKE, DUNBOYNE.
VALUABLE GRAZING FARM FOR SALE.

WE have been instructed by Geoffrey Watt, Esq., TO SELL BY AUCTION in one or two Lots, in our Salesroom, 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN, ON TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 3rd APRIL, 1924, At 12 o'clock noon,

His Interest and Goodwill in the above valuable Farm, containing in all 157a. 2r. 17p., Statute Measure, or thereabouts, viz.:—

Lot 1.—The Lands of Castlefarm, containing 22a. 3r. 8p., and the Lands of Rooske, containing 26a. 3r. 4p., Statute Measure, subject to a half-yearly Annuity of £27 10/2, payable to the Irish Land Commission. Poor Law Valuation £69 10/-.

Lot 2.—The Lands of Rooske, containing 108a. 0r. 5p., Statute Measure, subject to a half-yearly annuity of £52 4/10, payable to the Irish Land Commission. Poor Law Valuation £135.

These are prime fattening Lands, situate within half a mile of Dunboyne Station (M.G.W. Railway), and seven miles from DUBLIN CATTLE MARKET. They are well fenced and sheltered, and have a never-failing supply of water.

Further particulars on application to F. G. DICKSON, 35 Shipquay street, Londonderry, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale; or

GAVIN LOW, LTD.
Auctioneers,
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

600 STORE CATTLE,
AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
On TO-MORROW (THURSDAY),
Commencing at 12 o'clock.

10 Kerry Ewes and 10 Lambs; also 10 Ewes in lamb will be offered previous to above.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.

ELM GREEN, CASTLEKNOCK.
TO BE LET BY PRIVATE TREATY.

About 36 Acres Prime Fattening Land, for Grazing of Horned Cattle only, up to 30th November.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.,
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

1922—No. 127.
SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
CHANCERY DIVISION—CHANCERY JUDGE.

JOSEPHINE JELLETT, Plaintiff; THOMAS McGLASHAN, Defendant;

And by Order to Proceed,

JANE LEWIS, Plaintiff; SAME, Defendant.

TO BE SOLD in One Lot by Private Sealed Tender, the Lands comprised in Folio 505 of the Register for the County of Dublin, that is to say, Part of the

LANDS OF JOBSTOWN,

Containing 164 acres, 1 rood and 17 perches, or thereabouts, Statute measure, situate in the Barony of Uppercross and County of Dublin, held in Fee-simple, subject to an annuity payable half-yearly to the Irish Land Commission, commencing on the 1st December, 1906, of £156 7/10, and to the usual reservation to the Commission of mineral rights. The Lands are registered discharged of equities. The redemption value of said annuity is £2,854. In the year 1909 the South Dublin Rural District Council took steps to acquire one acre of the lands, and paid the sum of £30 to the registered owner and a like sum to the Irish Land Commission in reduction of the annuity, but have never been registered as owners of the said acre. Pursuant to the Order herein dated 22nd day of January, 1924, Private Sealed Tenders for the purchase of the Lot may be sent to the Chief Clerk, Chancery Judge's Chambers, Room 38, Law Courts, Dublin, so as to reach him on the 7th day of April, 1924. Such Tenders will be submitted to the judge for approval on Tuesday, the 8th day of April, 1924.

Dated 27th day of March, 1924.

THOS. W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

The Poor Law Valuation of the said Lands and Premises is £142 10/-.

The House on said Lands is a good, substantial dwelling-house, with good out-offices. The Lands have been worked as a mixed farm for grazing and tillage, and are well watered.

The property is situate adjoining the Jobstown Station on the Blessington Tram line, about five miles from Terenure, County Dublin.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to GERALD TENCH, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 18 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin.

STORE CATTLE AUCTION
TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 11 O'CLOCK.
GANLY, SONS & CO.,
USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

GRAZING LANDS, SEASON 1924.

Green Hills, Tallaght	22 Acres.
Clondalkin	25 Acres.
Merville, Booterstown	19 Acres.
Rathfarnham Castle	12 Acres.
Firhouse, Templeogue	20 Acres.

Particulars from

GANLY, SONS & CO.

TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 3rd APRIL, at 12.

DUNAREE,
BURNABY, GREYSTONES.

ARTHUR JONES AND SON are instructed to SELL the superior Residual Effects herein, which include:—Dark Oak Hall Table, Hat and Coat Stand, Mahogany Dwarf Sideboard, Set of 8 Mahogany Dining Chairs, in leather; Mahogany 3-Tier Dumb Waiter, Antique Gilt Overmantel, Arm Chairs, Blanket Chest, Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Oak, Brass and Iron Single and Double Bedsteads and Bedding; Satin Walnut Single Suite and other Suites, Fenders and General Furnishings; interesting collection of Morland and Bartolozzi Engravings and Photos and Prints; Kitchen Furniture and Culinary Utensils; Mangle and Ladders; 2-Cylinder Lawn Roller, Lawn Mowers, Tennis Net and Marker, Garden Seat and Miscellanea.

At 2.30 p.m.—Motor Car, Pullman, 1916, 3-4 seater, self-starter, 2 spare wheels, detachable rims, electric light; owner driven; recently overhauled. Licence paid till July. Admission to Sale, 1/-, refunded to purchasers. View 10 till Sale.

ARTHUR JONES & SON,
Auctioneers, Valuers, House Agents, Furniture Removers and Storers,
DUBLIN and GREYSTONES. 'Phone One.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE,
SAORSTAT EIREANN,
CHANCERY DIVISION—Master of the Rolls.
Record No. 1915 434.
In the Matter of the Estate of
THOMAS MICHAEL GRACE, Deceased;
CATHERINE GRACE, Plaintiff;
NORAH MAUREEN GRACE and Others, Defendants.

Continued in the Name of
NORAH MAUREEN GRACE, Plaintiff;
DOROTHY FRANCES GRACE and Others, Defendants.

Consolidated with
Record No. 1923 520.
In the Matter of the Estate of
CATHERINE GRACE, Deceased;
NORAH MAUREEN GRACE, Plaintiff;
DOROTHY FRANCES GRACE and Others, Defendants.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
In Two Lots,
Pursuant to an Order of the Court, at

MARKET HOUSE, OLDCASTLE,
CO. MEATH,
At ONE o'clock p.m., on
MONDAY, 14th APRIL, 1924.

The purchasers will be required to pay Auctioneers Fees.

PARTICULARS.

Firstly, all that and those, that part of the Lands of Upper Fennor, containing 38a. 2r. 20p., Statute measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Barony of Fore and County of Meath.

Secondly, all that part of the Lands of Upper Fennor, known as Liss Farm, containing 151a. 2r. 3p., Statute measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Electoral Division of Oldcastle, Barony of Demifore, or Fore, and County of Meath.

These Lands will be Sold, subject to the following tenancies:—House and small garden, held by James Walsh, as weekly tenant, at 4/6 per week. Gale day, Monday. House held by Mr. Tully, as weekly tenant, at 3/6 per week. Gale day, Monday.

TENURE.

Lot 1.

Held in fee-simple, subject to the usual reservations of mineral rights to the Irish Land Commission, and to the reservations of sporting rights to the landlord for the term of his natural life, and thereafter to be vested in the tenant and subject to the annual sum £23 11/4, commencing from 1st December, 1916, and payable half-yearly to the Irish Land Commission, until an advance of £725 shall have been repaid. The Lands are registered under the Local Registration of Title (Ireland) Act, 1891, subject to equities.

Lot 2.

Held in fee-simple, subject to like reservations as Lot 1, and subject to the annual sum of £69 2/8, commencing from 1st day of December, 1918, and payable half-yearly to the Irish Land Commission, until an advance of £2,127 shall have been repaid. The Lands are registered under the Local Registration of Title (Ireland) Act, 1891, subject to equities.

Copies of the folios of the registration of the title of Catherine Grace to the above Lots will be produced at the Sale, and may be inspected previously thereto at any convenient hour, at the Offices of the Solicitor having Carriage of the Sale mentioned below.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

The Lands are all in grass, and well-known for their fattening quality; are conveniently divided, well fenced and have an unfailing supply of river water.

The Residence and Farm Yard on Lot 1 is a comfortable two-storey, slated Dwellinghouse.

The Out-offices comprise horse stabling, cow byres, stall feeding shed for 20 cattle, piggeries, enclosed haggard, with stone-built hay barn roofed with galvanised iron. There is a fine pump in centre of yard.

The Lands are situated one mile from the town of Oldcastle, a terminus of the Great Northern Railway. Is one of the best market and fair towns in the County Meath, within easy reach of the well-known fairs of Ballyjamesduff, Kells, Virginia and Castlepollard, and from their position on the leading roads to Virginia and Newcastle, with an excellent quality of Land, should prove a lucrative investment.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

JAMES J. LYNCH, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 30 Molesworth street, Dublin, and Kells; or to SAMUEL J. MURDOCK, Auctioneer, OLDCASTLE, CO. MEATH.

HOUSES AND LANDS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,
110 GRAFTON STREET.

RATHMINES—SEMI-BASEMENT HOUSE, 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, kitchen, hot and cold bath, electric light. Very large garden. House in excellent order. Lease 999 years.

HOLLYBROOK ROAD—Two excellent non-basement HOUSES for Sale, with possession; electric light, etc.; good gardens, one containing garage. Price £1,500 each.

WATERLOO ROAD—FOR SALE, with vacant possession, containing 4 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, electric light; garden; room for garage. Price £1,800.

DOLPHIN'S BARN—Two reception, 4 bedrooms, hot water; garden. To be Sold, with clear possession. Price £750.

DAWSON STREET—FIRST FLOOR OFFICE to be Let. Rent, £80 per annum, landlord paying taxes.

WESTLAND ROW—To be Let, SHOP and STORE at rear; excellent situation. Terms from James H. North and Co., 110 Grafton street.

PEMBROKE TOWNSHIP—TO BE LET, furnished, from July, well finished House. Rent £20 per month; small family desired.—James H. North and Co., 110 Grafton street.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,
110 GRAFTON STREET.

CITY OF ARMAGH.

TO BE SOLD OR LET, as a Going Concern, VERY EXTENSIVE SAWMILLS, COAL YARD, HARDWARE AND SHOP PREMISES, fitted with 50 h.p. Crossley Engine (suction gas), and all the latest Machinery for Box-making, Turning, etc. These Premises are situate in the centre of the city, the property of Messrs. Boyd and Co. Particulars from

T. BROOKS & CO.,
Auctioneers, etc., ARMAGH.

FOR SALE, Detached House, on 2 acres, between Blackrock and Dun Laoghaire; 3 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, etc.; non-basement, garage, gate lodge, etc. Price £2,500. Apply JAMES ADAM and SONS, 17 Merrion row, Dublin.

ENGLAND, SCOTLAND, WALES.
HOUSES AND LANDS.

ANGLESEA—BENLLECH BAY.

TO LET, beautifully Furnished Bungalow, overlooking sea, and near station. Modern conveniences. Electric light. Good golf links. Garage. Apply GLANRAFON HOTEL.

HOUSES AND LANDS.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,

College Green—TO SMART GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTERS—FINE SHOP for immediate disposal, with Possession. Rent, £225 and taxes, and small sum for interest in lease. Rare chance. Apply at once to Dockrell Limited.

Phœnix Park Vicinity—Comfortable 8-ROOMED HOUSE, hot bath, large garden, motor house. Price only £900. Apply Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Terenure vicinity—ON RATHFARNHAM TRAM LINE, and convenient to Castle Golf Links—Semi-detached, modern House; 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, hot bath, maid's room; garage; good garden; electric light. Possession. Apply Dockrell Limited.

Bushy Park Road—A WELL-BUILT, detached, Modern HOUSE FOR SALE. Fine mountain views; possession; reduced price. Apply Dockrell Limited.

Leeson Park—Handsome RESIDENCE FOR SALE, with possession, perfect order. Fine rooms, garden, motor-house. Apply Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,
38 & 39 STH. GT. GEORGE'S ST.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON
M.I.A.A.,
24 SUFFOLK ST., DUBLIN.

CLONTARF—For Sale, Charming Residence, standing on 7 acres; 3 reception, 6 bedrooms, maids' accommodation, fine kitchen arrangements; garage with inspection pit and chauffeur's room, out-offices, good walled-in garden, peach and vine houses, 1 hard (En Tout Cas), and 1 grass tennis court; all in perfect order; telephone; convenient to tram. Permit to view (by appointment only) from WM. MONTGOMERY and SON.

STILLORGAN ROAD—For Sale, Residence standing on 7 acres with gate lodge. House contains 5 reception rooms, 9 bedrooms, kitchen, scullery, pantry, etc.; 2 bathrooms, w.c.'s, hot and cold supply (Vartry), large hot linen press, garaging for 2 cars, out-offices, large vinery, rose house, forcing glass house, peach house, extensive gardens, electric light (private plant); gas laid on. Lease five years to run at £115 per annum, then £70 for 90 years. (Pembroke Lease.) Particulars of price, etc., and appointment to view from WM. MONTGOMERY and SON.

MERRION SQUARE—For Sale, most favourably situated Dwellinghouse, containing 4 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, return building with two rooms and lavatory; bath, lavatory, kitchen, pantries and scullery, etc.; greenhouse, garage and stabling accommodation; electric light. Held for 80 years to run at £38 11/6 per annum. P.L. Valuation, £85. Particulars and Card to View from WM. MONTGOMERY and SON.

Cheaper Bath Towels

We have just secured a lot of particularly good quality Bath Towels at a very reduced price.

This reduction is due to slight weaving defects, but the quality is otherwise splendid. Made with a dice design border,

In Black and White.
Also Helio and White and
Pink and White.

In a superfine quality.
Size 26 x 45"
(Reduced from 3/11 each.)
6 for 16/0 post free.

Each 2/9

Carriage Paid on All Orders.

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WALPOLE BROTHERS LIMITED

SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN

Carriage Paid on All Orders.

BUSINESS CONTINUED.

VALUABLE Business, Wholesale and Retail, with Freehold Premises, producing £1,000 net profit yearly, offered for £7,000.—Housefinding Co., 30 Lower Ormond quay.

VALUABLE Drapery Business Premises for Sale in good business locality in Belfast; low ground rent of £7 10/-; Shop recently fitted with modern arcade front; selling for health reasons; excellent cash trade; fresh Stock can be had at valuation if required; photograph and full particulars on application.—Alexander Devon, F.A.I., 39 Rosemary street, Belfast. 30 O

£600 OFFERED for Going Concern or Shop and House—M 35, this office. 28 O

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

A MODERN Bungalow House, conveniently situated to city; lounge hall, 4 sittingrooms, 6 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen and outoffices, standing on large piece ground; Rathmines district; £ rent £5 17/6, lease for ever; £3,000; possession.—Jones, Limited, 114 Stephen's Green.

AT North Circular road, eleven apartments, possession, free of rent, £1,400; Clontarf, Vernon avenue, seven apartments, £1,200; Harold's Cross, eight apartments, £1,200; Cashmir road, seven apartments, £1,000; Chapelizod, fine large House, £900; Sandymount, eight apartments, £1,050.—Barron and Son, Auctioneers, 13 Lower Ormond quay.

AT North City—Commodious House for Sale, with possession; nine apartments, electric light; £1,000. Order to view from Garvey and Good, 21 Lincoln place. 31 D

AUCTION, Friday Next, 4th April, "Kingston," Clonliffe road; vacant possession, free of rent, lease 999 years.—MacArthur and Co., Auctioneers, 79 Talbot street. 31 E

AUCTION, Friday Next, 4th April—Profitable Investment—1 to 12 Shamrock street and 8 Primrose street, rental £312 13/- per annum, free of rent, lease 200 years.—MacArthur and Co., Auctioneers, 79 Talbot street.

AUCTION, Friday Next, 4th April, 4 Rugby road, Ranelagh; vacant possession; ground rent £4, lease 77 years.—MacArthur and Co., Auctioneers, 79 Talbot street. 31 E

A BARGAIN—Old fashioned Residence, Chapelizod with vacant possession, detached on about one acre; ground rent £5 lease 500 years; price £900 or nearest offer. Keys with MacArthurs, 79 Talbot street. 31 E

BRAY—For Sale, 4 Sydenham Villas, 9 apartments, bath, electric light, garage, large garden; possession.—Fraser, Kilternan, Co. Dublin. 31 E

BRAY—Exceptionally nice Residence, non basement, 9 apartments, fine hall, bath, electric light, large gardens, garage; possession will be given.—James Allen and Son, 73 Middle Abbey street. 31 A

BEECHWOOD avenue—Modern House, newly decorated; vacant possession; price £1,000. Keys with MacArthurs. 31 E

BUNGALOW (acre), Greystones district, Sale, Letting (option Land). Address "Z 1659, Bungalow," this office.

BERKELEY road District—Two Cottage Houses for Sale (possession one); next tram line; low ground rent; good lease.—Corrigan and Co., 4 Grafton street.

COTTAGE, Acre, Selling, Letting, Furnished, Unfurnished; £40; bargain. Address "Z 1658, Cottage," this office.

CLONTARF—St. Lawrence road, 7 rooms, bath (h. and c.), nice garden; rear entrance; £925; possession.—Corrigan and Co., 4 Grafton street.

COMPACT modern House, immediate disposal; four rooms, bath (hot and cold); Fairview district; vacant possession; £550, or nearest offer.—M 395, this office. 1 D

CO. Wicklow—Two Farms and fully equipped Creamery for Sale by Auction, Wednesday, 9th April, at Barndarrig; Area No. 1, with Dwellinghouse and Outoffices, 65, 1, 4, S.M., rent £43 17/6, when vested £30 14/3, P.L.V. £75 5/-; No. 2, no buildings, 68, 1, 3, S.M., annuity, £31 9/- 3. Barndarrig Creamery, with new two storeyed Dwelling, and all machinery, held Fee-Simple, free from ground rent, reserve. J. H. McCarroll, Solicitor, Wicklow; Hawkins Brothers, Auctioneers, Wicklow. 27 X

CRUMLIN road—Bargain, prompt purchaser, five roomed House, large garden.—M 122, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

DALKEY—One or two Houses, free; six apartment, garden; good tenants.—K 1927, this office. 28 O

DONNYBROOK—Two newly built Houses, 8 apartments, bath (hot and cold); possession; price £1,000 each. Keys with MacArthur. 31 E

DRUMCONDRA (Possession)—Modern House; price £850. Orders to view from MacArthurs. 31 E

DALKEY—Newly built modern detached Villa for Sale, 8 apartments, large garden, garage; head rent £5, lease 150 years.—Plunkett, Builder, Sandycove.

DARTRY road—35 St. Kevin's Park, Bungalow House; immediate possession. Seen 3 to 5 daily. 1 X

EDW, Llanfair, Harlech—To be Sold, Freehold Detached Residence, containing two sittingrooms, six bedrooms, offices, garage and one acre of land, situated in delightful position, within one mile of Harlech and golf links. Also a Meadow on the Llanbedr road, suitable as grazing land, measuring 1 acre. Apply Mrs. J. M. Owen, Dreoala, Carnarvon. 29 X

EIGHT Room House for Sale, Rathgar, £800, or £500 cash, balance as rent; possession.—M 173. 31 E

FOR Sale, with possession, 104 South Circular road, Rialto, containing two reception, three bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), two w.c.'s, large kitchen and pantry, good garden, side and rear entrances; ground rent two guineas; P.L.V. £18; seen any time. 31 D

GLENAGEARY—House for Sale; seven rooms, kitchen, scullery, bathroom (h. and c.); close station and tram; newly done up; non basement; low ground rent; price £1,250.—H 89, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

HOUSE for Sale, Inchicore road, with possession, eight apartments; large garden, fruit trees, etc.—M 131, this office.

IONA District—Two lovely Houses (garages), £1,300 each, three £850, one £825; Phibsborough, lovely House, £900, one £800.—Kelly, 71 Iona road. 31 E

KIMMAGE road—Modern House, with possession; ground rent £3 6/9, lease 999 years, price £1,400.—MacArthurs. 31 E

LARGE Houses, suitable for conversion into flats, Lower Baggot street, Merrion square, Leeson street—Etchingham and Co., 7 Lower Pembroke street. 28 O

LARGE Yard, south city, suitable factory; Leasehold for Sale.—M 267, this office. 31 E

MONKSTOWN, Queen's Park—For Sale, with immediate possession, handsome detached Residence, with lovely views, and containing 3 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, dressingroom, bathroom, with porcelain bath (h. and c. water), 2 w.c.'s, 2 maids' rooms, front garden, etc.; head rent £10 10/-, lease 39 years.—M 265, this office. 31 E

MERRION—6 Herbert avenue, 7 apartments; modern; long lease; large garden; room garage. Apply No. 8. 1 F

MONKSTOWN—Charming House, detached; immediate possession; reasonable. Particulars Boss, Agent, 24 Main street, Blackrock.

NEWCASTLE, Down—For Sale, House, with garden; 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, electric light. Address "Z 1486, House," this office. 27 X

PHIBSBOROUGH vicinity—Two storeyed House, 6 apartments; vacant possession; price £775. Keys with MacArthurs. 31 E

PARTIES willing to Purchase small detached Houses or Bungalows, apply M 404, this office. 1 F

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HOUSES WANTED CONTINUED.

HOUSE Wanted, moderate rent, by couple; any good district.—K 1981, this office. 28 O

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WANTED to Rent or Purchase, six roomed House, Terenure, Kenilworth Park, Rathgar; moderate.—M 35, this office. 28 O

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FLAT, Furnished; can be worked without maid; 1 sitting, use of kitchen; moderate; vicinity Sidney Parade; 2 bedrooms.—M 162, this office. 31 C

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LADY can have Front Room, partly Furnished; 12/- weekly.—76 Hertesbury street. 29 O

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LUCAN—To Let, Furnished House and garden; electric light. Apply McEvoy. 28 O

MALAHIDE vicinity—Wanted, to rent Cottage, Furnished or Unfurnished, for summer months.—M 264, this office. 31 E

MALAHIDE—Splendidly Furnished seven roomed House to Let for August.—M 321, this office.

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MALAHIDE—Cottage to Let for July; four rooms, gas cooker, water.—M 320, this office. 31 E

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HATCHING Eggs—Rhodes, Minorcas, Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, 5/-; White Runner Duck Eggs, 6/-.—Mrs. Flanagan, Riverside Poultry Farm, Ballinasloe. 28 X

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COLLINS—March 31, 1924, at ..., Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. W. ... Bank, Magherafelt, a daughter.

LINDEN—March 27, 1924, ... Nursing Home, Abingdon, to Mr... (nee Lester), a son.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received ... insertion in this column will ... Page 4.

ANDERSON—April 2, 1924, ... Knockmore, Bushy Park rd., Rat... Anderson, eldest daughter of ... Ogilvie Anderson. Funeral (p... Jerome Cemetery Saturday morn...

CONDON—April 1, 1924, at ... Home, Dublin, Jerome J. Condon ... Journal Staff, aged 39 years, d... of Mollie Condon, 82 Hollybank ... and youngest son of Mr. T. J... Clonmel. Deeply and sadly mou... ing wife, children, father, rela... R.I.P. Funeral to-day (Thursda... St. Columba, Iona rd., after 1... Glasnevin Cemetery. No flowers, ... Masses and prayers instead.

ELLIS—March 30, 1924, ... Kilmacnela, Claremorris, Oliver ... of the late Captain George Ellis ... Kilmacnela, Claremorris. Jesus, ... R.I.P. Interment took place a... place, Ballindine, after Requi... Ballindine, on 1st inst.

GAYNOR—March 22, 1924, ... widow of James J. Gaynor, ... Roscommon. R.I.P.

LAWLESS—April 1, 1924, at ... Home, Dublin, Rev. Nichol... Faughart, Dundalk. R.I.P. O... in St. Brigid's, Kilcurry, this ... at 11 o'clock. Funeral afterwar...

MAHAFFY—March 31, 19... Bracknell, Berks., James Barron ... of Belturbet and 72 Antrim rd., ... year.

MURRAY—March 29, 19... Agnes St. Clair (Nurse), dau... Patrick Murray, Royal Obser... Professor of Astronomy and Na... Board of Education, Ireland. ... took place at Rostrevor.

NICHOLS—April 2, 1924, a... Ranelagh rd., Dublin, Elizabeth ... beloved wife of James Nichols ... Funeral to-morrow (Friday) mo... for Mount Jerome.

NICHOLSON—April 1, 19... Annette Mary, widow of the lat... Esq., second daughter of the lat... Esq., Green Hall, Moy. Funera...

O'BRIEN—April 1, 1924, at ... Hospital, Sarah Josephine, dau... Anne and John O'Brien, of ... Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Fun... Dean's Grange Cemetery this ... American papers please copy.

WILLIAMS—April 1, 1924, at ... Annie, widow of the late Alexa... Larne. Funeral private.

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